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THE WEATHER
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PRESIDENT, ATTACKING CHAMBERLAIN, INDORSES BAKER; OPPOSES CHANGES IN WAR CONDUCT; BITTER SENATE DEBATE; FIRST WORKLESS MONDAY LEAVES NEW YORK IN BAD PLIGHT

VIENNA CABINET OUT AS STRIKERS DEMAND PEACE

Von Toggenburg, Head of Interior Department, Is Asked to Form a New Ministry.

LABOR CRISIS SPREADING

Hungary Is Also Gravely Affected — Budapest Transport System Tied Up.

WORKERS PRESENT TERMS

Assert That Desire for Peace Comes First—Want Czernin to State Attitude.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 21.—The Austrian Ministry has resigned, according to a Vienna dispatch to the Berliner Morgen Post.

Count von Toggenburg, Minister of the Interior, has been charged with the task of forming a new Cabinet.

The brief dispatch does not make it absolutely clear which of the Vienna Ministries has resigned—the Imperial Ministry, of which Count Czernin is the head, holding the portfolio of Minister of Foreign Affairs, or the minor body, of which Dr. von Seydler has been President. The fact that Count von Toggenburg, who held the post of Minister of the Interior in the von Seydler Cabinet, has been asked to organize a new Ministry, would indicate that it is the latter.

Even before the general strike began in Austria, dispatches from Vienna reported a crisis in the Austrian Cabinet. Dr. von Seydler was opposed not only by the Czechs and the South Slavs, but also by the Socialists, while the German Deputies were also hostile owing to von Seydler's attitude, which they considered weak.

New Peace Pledge to Labor.

VIENNA, Jan. 20, (via Amsterdam to London, Jan. 21.)—"It is his Majesty's wish to end the war at the earliest moment possible by an honorable peace. In pursuance of this desire and on the principles it has repeatedly announced, the Government of the Dual Monarchy has done everything in its power and will continue to do everything possible to bring about most speedily a general peace. If for the present, however, only a separate peace with Russia is practicable, the responsibility rests solely with the Entente Powers, which have rejected repeatedly our peace offers."

These striking statements were made today by Dr. von Seydler, the Austrian Prime Minister, in the course of a speech at an important conference between the Government and labor leaders in the Minister's room in Parliament House. Those present included Count von Toggenburg, Minister of the Interior; Lieut. Gen. Czapp, Minister of Defense, and Labor Representatives Adler, Seitz and others.

After saying that the present serious time demanded harmony in labor circles and a clear and sincere discussion of all problems, the Premier made his announcement on peace. Afterward he proceeded to disavow any aim at conquest and declared that the Government continued its adherence to the belief that an international agreement regarding disarmament and arbitration courts could form a suitable basis for a general peace.

The Premier insisted that, as far as Austria was concerned, the negotiations with Russia should not be shipwrecked on projects of territorial acquisition. The Government, he added, regarded Poland as an independent State with independent relations with the monarchy, "although, of course," he continued, "we shall preserve the constitutional influence of the legislative bodies of both States of the monarchy in this settlement. It is far from our intention to dictate to Poland regarding her relationship with us."

Dr. von Seydler reiterated that it was the Government's agreement that Poland should settle her own State system by a popular vote, preferably by a constituent assembly elected on a broad basis, and the Government's readiness to arrange effective guarantees for complete freedom in such voting, unprejudiced by the occupying authorities.

"The Government," Dr. von Seydler proceeded, "had, of course, to refuse the Russian Government's demand for the evacuation of the occupied region. This refusal was not due to a desire to use military occupation to restrict the Polish people's right of self-determination, but exclusively because, owing to the continuance of the war on the other fronts and the unsettled internal conditions in Russia, we could not evacuate these territories without endangering our military interests.

"We hope that with good-will on the Russian side all these questions may be

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Bolsheviki Murder Two ex-Ministers As They Lie Sleeping in Hospital Beds

By HAROLD WILLIAMS.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 20.—A. I. Shingaroff and Professor F. F. Kokoshkine, Cadets and former Ministers in the Provisional Government, were killed at 2 o'clock this morning.

Arrested with Countess Panin on Dec. 11, on the eve of the first opening of the Constituent Assembly, which they had come to Petrograd to attend, they were confined in the Fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul. The fortress régime told heavily on their health, and after prolonged intercession on the part of their friends consent was given for their removal to the Marine Hospital. They were removed last evening at 8 o'clock, and at 2 o'clock this morning were murdered.

This is the heaviest blow yet struck at the Cadet party, which thus at one stroke loses two of its most distinguished leaders. It is difficult to write of this loss just now. I have rarely known a man more scrupulously honest and more transparently single-minded than Shingaroff. He was a democrat through and through, absolutely devoted to the interests of the people, and never wavered from his principles. After the revolution he was first Minister of Finance. Later he was Minister of Food Control.

His experience as Minister depressed him.

"I don't think one can be a Minister and an honest man," he said to a friend just after his retirement. An idealist, an opponent of all violence, a very gentle man, he was bitterly disappointed with the gradual declension of the revolution. He devoted himself to party work. After the Bolshevist rising in November he led the opposition to the Bolsheviki in the Petrograd City Council, denouncing them persistently in the name of the sovereignty of the people, then he went to Voronesh for his electoral campaign and came up for the Constituent Assembly only to be arrested.

Kokoshkine was a Professor of Political Science in Moscow. Next to Miliukoff he was the leading theorist in the Cadet Party. He was a scholarly man of acute intellect and great analytical power. I remember about a year ago he lectured in Moscow on the British Commonwealth as a model for a world federation of peoples. As Controller General in the third Provisional Government he was chief cadet representative in the Cabinet and retired at the time of the Kornilloff affair. Like most of the Russian intelligentia, he was an agnostic, but of late years his idealism took a religious form, and he became a devout churchman.

Friends of the imprisoned Ministers have been in continual fear of their being lynched. Several times in the night an alarm has been raised and the guard has demanded that the Ministers be handed over for summary treatment. But the Ministers had frequently shown the prisoners great kindness. For that reason perhaps the guard was repeatedly changed.

Konovaloff and Tretiakoff were transferred to the hospital ten days ago. Tereschenko, Kartasheff, Bernatzky, Kishkin, and former Minister of Trade Stepanoff still remain in the fortress.

GERMAN THREAT TO END PARLEY

Berlin Paper Says Trotzky Must Accept Demands on His Return to Conference.

UKRAINE MOVE MEETS SNAG

Just as Peace Terms Are Agreed On Rival Rada's Envoys Take a Hand.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 21. — Foreign Minister Trotzky, before leaving Brest-Litovsk, told Dr. von Kühlmann, the German Foreign Minister, according to a telegram from Berlin, that he was going to Petrograd for a week to report to the Congress of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates. He is quoted as having added that his departure in no manner indicated a discontinuance of the negotiations, which would continue during his absence.

The Lokal-Anzeiger of Berlin says that unless Trotzky accepts the demands of the Central Powers when he returns to Brest-Litovsk on Jan. 29 the Central Powers will break off peace negotiations.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—A long report of the proceedings of the commission for the regulation of political and territorial questions at Brest-Litovsk Friday, sent out by Berlin, discloses the fact that the Central Powers and the Russians are no nearer agreement on the point of how the populations of the occupied territories are to record their desire for self-determination. The discussion concluded with a reply by Foreign Minister Trotzky that the Russians adhered to their proposal that a referendum should decide the future formation of these countries.

Trotzky also declared that one-sided and independent treatment of the territories occupied by the Austrians could not be granted to the Ukrainians. But he believed an agreement was possible between the Ukrainians and Russians.

Asked by Dr. von Kühlmann, the German Foreign Secretary, for a statement regarding the relations between Petrograd and the Caucasus Army, Trotzky said that the army was commanded by officers devoted to the Bolshevist decision, which was confirmed by the General Congress of the Delegates at the Caucasian front.

Dr. von Kühlmann also asked whether the Petrograd delegation intended to deal with the Aland Islands, or was Finland entitled to represent those islands in questions concerning them.

The Bolshevist Foreign Minister reserved his reply, whereupon the deliberations of the political commission were adjourned until Jan. 29. The economic commission continued its work.

Trotzky's remark about a one-sided and independent arrangement with the Ukrainians is supposed to refer to the fact that the negotiations between the Central Powers and the Ukrainian "People's Republic" have resulted in an agreement on the principles of a peace treaty which is to be concluded and the war be declared terminated, according to advices from Brest-Litovsk via Amsterdam today.

On the conclusion of peace, the Brest-Litovsk advices add, the troops of both

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ARE YOU RUN DOWN? DEW-OL OR DEW-PER-OL DEWEY'S, 182 FULTON ST., NEW YORK. Liquid-Blood-Nitrogen or Your Druggist.—Adv.

CARSON RESIGNS HIS CABINET POST

Arch-Foe of Home Rule Deserts Lloyd George, Who Welcomes His Decision.

ATTACK ON WAR CABINET

Daily Mail Condemns Its Strategy — Repington Quits the Times, Assailing Government.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Sir Edward Carson, Minister without portfolio in the War Cabinet, has resigned. This announcement was made officially tonight.

The Prime Minister has advised the King to accept Sir Edward's resignation.

The correspondence published shows that Sir Edward's action was in relation to the Irish question, and had nothing to do with the conduct of the war.

Sir Edward, in a letter to the Premier, says that when he joined the Cabinet he had no consideration in mind except the prosecution of the war and had not expected that the Irish question would be reopened before peace came.

"Subsequently," the letter continues, "when the convention was proposed, I used my influence to induce friends to participate in an effort to reach a settlement; but, on account of the dual positions I held as member of the Government and leader of the Ulster Party, I felt it incumbent on me to stand aloof from the convention. It, however, is apparent that whatever the issue of the convention, its proceedings may lead to a situation demanding a decision by the Government on grave matters of policy in Ireland.

"After anxious consideration I feel that it would be advantageous for the War Cabinet to discuss this policy without my presence. I also desire to be entirely unfettered in forming judgment on any situation that may arise, taking account both of the supreme duty that rests on us all in assisting the prosecution of the war and my personal obligations as leader of the Ulster Unionist Party.

In Harmony with War Policies.

"There never has been any matter of policy either in connection with the conduct of the war or the principles and aims for which we are fighting where I found myself in disagreement with you or my other colleagues in the War Cabinet.

"I very much regret this severance, but am convinced it is for the national advantage at the present juncture."

Mr. Lloyd George replied to Sir Edward, expressing the deepest and most unfeigned regret "because of the value I attach to the unvarying courage and sagacity you brought to the councils of the nation."

"Although you have fought hard and repeatedly against the conclusion you have arrived at," the Premier's letter continues, "I am compelled to admit

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GREAT BEAR SPRING WATER. "Its Purity Has Made It Famous."—Adv.

Reports Wilson Urged Settlement of Irish Issue

LONDON, Tuesday, Jan. 22.—The Daily News says there is reason for stating that President Wilson quite recently made urgent representations to the British Cabinet on the desirability of an Irish settlement.

The Dublin correspondent of The Times reiterates the partially hopeful view of the convention, whose reports or report, he says, will at least advance the solution of the problem by stages of unprecedented length and importance. The end, he adds, cannot long be delayed.

TANGLE OF ORDERS HERE

Cross-firing of Federal Officials Results in Obstructive Delays.

JAM OF FREIGHT GROWS

Merchants, Misunderstanding Garfield's Intentions, Fail to Get Goods on Waterfront.

WORKMEN ARE BARRED OUT

Sudden Rigid Enforcement of Zone Restrictions Hampers Cleanup Plans.

While wage earning, production, and business practically stopped in New York City yesterday in order that the freight congestion might be relieved and the supply of coal increased, the freight congestion was aggravated and the coal supply reduced to less than half of normal requirements by delays in the harbor and on the waterfront produced by conflicting orders issued by the numerous Federal officials, each tackling the freight and fuel situation from a different angle.

The army of workmen which was to be concentrated on the work of moving freight and coal was thrown into complete confusion by the contradictory instructions.

All available men were, according to the program of one branch of the Government, to have been put to work loading and unloading coal at the piers and in the coal yards; but another branch of the Government stepped in and ordered hundreds of workmen away from the waterfront under a strict interpretation of the war zone order, which had been interpreted up until yesterday so as not to interfere with workmen.

All possible speed was to be made, according to the well-laid plans of one branch of the Federal Government, to put crippled tugs back into service and to commandeer other tugs, so that coal might be rushed here from tidewater deposits, but an officer of the Fuel Administration stepped in and ordered Brooklyn drydocks closed under the Garfield order—drydocks in which most of the eighty-two crippled tugs were being repaired.

One set of Federal officials worked out with the railroads a plan for relieving the freight congestion by rushing great quantities of freight from cars to the railroad piers and warehouses, whence they were to be rushed through the semi-deserted streets to the shops and storerooms of merchants. But nobody thought to tell the merchants about this. Most of the big houses, interpreting the Garfield order for themselves, with what help they could get from the local representatives of Dr. Garfield, decided that the order imposed upon them the patriotic duty of closing down their business altogether. They kept their warehouses closed. They kept their trucks in the garages.

Freight Jams the Waterfront.

The railroads, with forces of workmen recruited from all branches of their services, rushed over thousands of tons of freight from New Jersey, heaped it on their piers, in their warehouses, and on all available space. By noon they had every square inch of their waterfront properties covered with merchandise. Only a few tons of it were moved. After the noon hour no further freight was moved, because there was no place to put it, and most of the army of workmen massed for this congestion-breaking effort spent the rest of the day in idleness.

The net result achieved under the cross-fire of Government orders from the numerous Federal officials, all industriously seeking to bring order out of chaos, was that the railroad piers and freight terminals in Manhattan were jammed by an unparalleled freight congestion, and less than 20,000 tons of coal arrived at Manhattan. The cost of coal during workless days is placed at $223.21 a ton by George H. Cushing, editor of The Black Diamond, calculating the cost to the United States of the suspension of industry under the Garfield order at $303,000,000.

While men were being barred from the work of coaling ships and unloading barges, while repair work on the crippled tugs was suspended by a Brooklyn interpretation of the Garfield order, and while trucks were idle in their garages, Federal officials were appealing from one to another and to Washington for new orders and countermanding orders which would disentangle the knot into which the freight and coal handling organizations had been tied.

The first great blow at the projected day of house-cleaning in the harbor and freight yards occurred, when workmen employed to unload coal barges into ships started to work yesterday morning

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Deerfoot Farm Sausages Made of the tender meat of dairy fed, fat young porkers, seasoned with selected spices. Beware of imitations.—Advt.

President Directs Observance of Sabbath in Army and Navy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The observance of the Sabbath by all men in military and naval service was directed by President Wilson in a statement issued tonight at the White House. All Sunday labor he asked to be reduced to the measure of strict necessity. The statement says:

The President, Commander in Chief of the Army and Navy, following the reverent example of his predecessors, desires and enjoins the orderly observance of the Sabbath by the officers and men in the military and naval service of the United States. The importance for man and beast of the prescribed weekly rest, the sacred rights of Christian soldiers and sailors, a becoming deference to the best sentiment of a Christian people, and a due regard for the divine, will demand that Sunday labor in the army and navy be reduced to the measure of strictest necessity.

Such an observance of Sunday is dictated by the best traditions of our people and by the convictions of all who look to Divine Providence for guidance and protection, and, in repeating in this order the language of President Lincoln, the President is confident that he is speaking alike to the hearts and to the conscience of those under his authority.

WIGGIN SEES PERIL IN COAL DELAYS

Sends Telegrams to Garfield Urging Speed in Deliveries to New York.

SUGGESTS RADICAL CHANGE

Asks Full Day on Docks, Railroad Commissioner, and an Anthracite Pool.

In a series of telegrams sent yesterday by Albert H. Wiggin, New York State Fuel Administrator, to National Fuel Administrator Garfield, Mr. Wiggin sounds a warning that the work of unloading coal here must be speeded up or New York will at the end of the five workless days find no improvement in the coal situation. There is in the picture presented unmistakable fear that it will be worse. The State Fuel Administrator suggests several radical changes in the present methods of handling coal arrivals at the New Jersey coal ports. He declares emphatically that the authorities here cannot distribute more coal without immediate relief at the coal docks, and adds that New York probably cannot receive even its minimum requirements for the use of those on the piority list named by Dr. Garfield in his recent closing order.

Not only must the railroads compel work at all docks for twenty-four hours, using three shifts of eight hours each, to unload the coal, but Mr. Wiggins believes the situation requires the appointment of a Commissioner by the railroads who will have supreme authority at the coal docks and who will be unquestionably obeyed, even to the expense of paying higher wages if that is necessary.

It was also recommended by Mr. Wiggin that all anthacite coal coming here be pooled as in the case of bituminous coal, and he asked Dr. Garfield to have the demurrage rate schedule that became effective yesterday held off until the pooling agreement could be arranged. The Fuel Administration also made complaint that no steps have been taken by the railroads for twenty-four hours of labor at the coal ports, as the Administration requested several weeks ago.

In one telegram to Dr. Garfield Mr. Wiggin states facts regarding coal deliveries and distribution here in order to give the National Administration a "concrete picture of the coal situation at Port of New York." The bituminous situation is as bad as the anthracite. The most hopeful announcement as to soft coal is that the 100,000 tons needed for shipping tied up here are being accumulated. This means that one of the great reasons for the present closing order is being taken care of. The average daily unloading of bituminous coal at this port in January is 28,400 tons. The demand for some of those on the priority list is, Mr. Wiggin says, 16,000 tons a day. Shipping is being taken care of, and this does not leave any for those who are not in the priority list. He estimates the daily normal consumption of anthracite for the next sixty days to be between 40,000 and 45,000 tons a day. That amount of anthracite is not reaching the city at the present time.

Situation Here Set Forth.

The situation at this port and some of the recommendations made are set forth in this telegram to Dr. Garfield:

Dr. H. A. Garfield, Fuel Administrator, Washington, D. C.:

To give you concrete picture of coal situation at port of New York I state the following facts from records and expert information on hand:

The average daily unloading of bituminous in January, 1918, at the port of New York had been 28,400 tons. Minimum daily necessities for priorities named by you in Section 1 of your order of Jan. 17 are as follows: For public utilities in Greater New York, 9,000 tons; incinerators to burn garbage, 1,000 tons; flour and abattoirs, 1,000 tons; sugar, 2,500 tons; dealers, 2,800 tons for hospitals and other uses named in Section 1 of your order. For ships' situation as follows: Ten to

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HOTEL IMPERIAL, NEW SOUTH—DANCING at 7 to Dinner and Supper. Unique Surroundings.—Adv.

Text of President Wilson's Statement Defending the Administration's War Work

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—In answer to Senator George E. Chamberlain's charges of general inefficiency in the Government, and especially in war preparations, the following was given out at the White House tonight:

"When the President's attention was called to the speech made by Senator Chamberlain at a luncheon in New York on Saturday he immediately inquired of Senator Chamberlain whether he had been correctly reported, and, upon ascertaining from the Senator that he had been, the President felt it his duty to make the following statement:

Senator Chamberlain's statement as to the present inaction and ineffectiveness of the Government is an astonishing and absolutely unjustifiable distortion of the truth.

As a matter of fact, the War Department has performed a task of unparalleled magnitude and difficulty with extraordinary promptness and efficiency. There have been delays and disappointments and partial miscarriages of plan, all of which have been drawn into the foreground and exaggerated by the investigations which have been in progress since the Congress assembled—investigations which drew indispensable officials of the department constantly away from their work and officers from their commands and contributed a great deal to such delay and confusion as had inevitably arisen.

But by comparison with what has been accomplished, these things, much as they were to be regretted, were insignificant, and no mistake has been made which has been repeated. Nothing helpful or likely to speed or facilitate the war tasks of the Government has come out of such criticism and investigation.

I understand that reorganizations by legislation are to be proposed, (I have not been consulted about them and have learned of them only at second hand,) but their proposal came after effective measures of reorganization had been thoughtfully and maturely perfected, and, inasmuch as these measures have been the result of experience, they are much more likely than any others to be effective, if the Congress will but remove the few statutory obstacles of rigid departmental organization which stand in their way. The legislative proposals I have heard of would involve long additional delays and turn our experience into mere lost motion.

My association and constant conference with the Secretary of War have taught me to regard him as one of the ablest public officials I have ever known. The country will soon learn whether he or his critics understand the business in hand.

To add, as Senator Chamberlain did, that there is inefficiency in every department and bureau of the Government is to show such ignorance of actual conditions as to make it impossible to attach any importance to his statement. I am bound to infer that that statement sprang out of opposition to the Administration's whole policy rather than out of any serious intention to reform its practice.

EMBARGOES TO AID CONGESTION FIGHT

Five Big Railroads to Accept Only Food, Fuel, and Other Vital Shipments.

COLD HINDERS CAR MOVING

Pooling of Tugs and Barges at New York Being Considered to Break Ice Jam.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The unusual weather conditions, marked by low temperatures in the Eastern district, continued today to hamper the efforts of the Government officials to move coal and clean up the transportation tangle, and forced a general embargo by some of the big railroad systems excluding all new freight shipments, except coal, food, and a few supplies vital to the war program. It is also possible that the Shipping Board will commandeer and pool barges and tugs in the New York City area within a day or two. The developments of the next forty-eight hours will decide this point.

Decision as to the exercise of the embargo power to prevent shipments not absolutely essential to the national life from further clogging transportation lines has been left largely to the discretion of the regional Directors named by William G. McAdoo, Director General of Railroads. While no official announcement was made it was reported tonight that A. H. Smith had issued embargo instructions which would affect the principal lines of the Pennsylvania, Baltimore & Ohio, Chesapeake & Ohio, Michigan Central, and Illinois Central Railroads.

Fuel Administrator Garfield has fought all along for a general embargo which would restrict all new shipments in the territory east of the Mississippi to vital commodities, such as coal and food, at least for the first five-day period of "workless days." There was much satisfaction expressed at the Fuel Administration offices when the unofficial report was heard that Dr. Garfield's request had been met as far as the railroads named were concerned.

Problem of Ice Jam Here.

The problem supplied by the ice jam in New York Harbor and the inadequate water carrier facilities was taken up by Chairman Edward N. Hurley of the Shipping Board. He sent J. E. Parsons, his special agent, to co-operate with representatives of the Fuel and Rail

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REMOVAL SALE—PERIOD FURNITURE. Final week, entire stock of Grand Rapids Furniture sacrificed, regardless of cost. Maugel Bros., 111 and 117 W. 23d St.—Advt.

SAYS MINORITY PLAYS POLITICS

Roosevelt "Seditious" and the "Kaiser's Agent," with Eye on 1920, Stone Says.

PENROSE ASSAILS HOUSE

Condemns Sending "Texas Lobbyist" to Paris—Lodge Defends Criticism.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The pent-up fires of discontent which for weeks have smoldered in Congress over disclosures of alleged inefficiency in the conduct of the war burst out today in a flame of oratory, in which the Republicans answered accusations of playing partisan politics so as to descredit the Democratic Administration.

Senator Stone of Missouri, one of the "twelve willful men" who by a filibuster defeated the Armed Ship bill, precipitated a storm by alleging that the Republicans sought to make party capital out of the war and were attacking the Democratic Administration with that end in view.

In a spirited reply Senator Lodge of Massachusetts contended that the Republicans in Congress had patriotically supported the President in all the war legislation he had asked, and had restrained criticism of the conduct of the war so as not to embarrass the Administration.

Senator Lodge voiced the privilege of the American people to indulge in constructive criticism, insisting that the mistakes in the conduct of the war could only be remedied by frank acknowledgment of them. He alluded to the revelations recently made before the Senate Military Affairs Committee as showing that everything was not well in the running of the war. To allow inefficiency to exist, when exposed, Senator Lodge argued, would be cowardly in Congress, and he expressed the hope that Congress would not allow itself to be stifled in its efforts to help win the war.

Senator Stone launched a bitter attack upon Theodore Roosevelt, characterizing the former President's criticism of the Administration as seditious, and based upon the motive of advancing his own political fortunes in 1920. He accused the Colonel of stirring up a spirit of unrest in the country.

He denounced Colonel Roosevelt as

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CADE & NICHOLS—Furnished Cottages in Fla. Palm Beach Office, Tel. 33; Miami Office, Tel. 1212.—Adv.

PRESIDENT ASSAILS CRITICS

Declares War Inefficiency Charges Are a Distortion.

WILL FIGHT WAR CABINET

Senate Committee's Proposals for Reforms Contain "Nothing Helpful," He Says.

ORGANIZING OPPOSITION

House and Senate Leaders Are Summoned — Will Oppose Munitions Chief Also.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—President Wilson issued tonigh: a formal statement attacking Senator George E. Chamberlain of Oregon, the Democratic Chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs, for his assertion in a speech before the National Security League in New York on Saturday that "the military establishment of America has broken down" for the reason that there was "inefficiency in every bureau and every department of the United States Government." He furthermore defended Secrtary Baker, and declared that the disclosures made by the Senate committee's investigations in regard to army shortcomings were insignificant in comparison with the results obtained.

The President's attack caused a sensation, as he and Senator Chamberlain had been on the best of terms politically and personally. Mr. Chamberlain has supported all the President's war policies and had carried through the Senate some of the most important legislation.

In addition to issuing the statement, the President took steps to defeat the bill for the creation of a war Cabinet which Senator Chamberlain introduced in the Senate today in behalf of his committee. The text of this measure was printed in THE NEW YORK TIMES this morning. The President will also fight the enactment of Senator Chamberlain's bill creating the position of a Director of Munitions. Both measures were the outcome of the evidence given before the Military Committee as to inefficiency and delay in the war preparations of the War Department.

"It is already apparent that the position taken by the President will cause a lively contest in Congress, particularly in the Senate, where many Democrats support the demand of the Military Committee for changes in the management of the war. Some Republicans, however, are credited with not being in entire sympathy with the committee's reform program.

The next scene in the conflict will come in the Senate Thursday when an effort will be made to have the War Cabinet bill referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs as well as the Committee on Military Affairs, acting as a joint committee. The object of this reference is to have the bill amended so as to permit the Navy Department to be free of control by the War Cabinet.

President Summons Leaders.

But this will not satisfy President Wilson, judged by the course he took this evening in organizing opposition to the measure. He sent for Chairman Dent of the House Committee on Military Affairs, who opposed the Selective Draft bill and other preparedness measures of the President, and Representative Julius Kahn of California, Republican member of the Military Committee, who took charge of the Selective Draft bill and put it through the House.

The War Cabinet bill was discussed at the conference between the President and Representatives Dent and Kahn. The President said he was opposed to it. So did Representative Dent. Representative Kahn answered inquiries from newspaper men this evening by the statement that military legislation before Congress, including the War Cabinet bill, was discussed, but he did not care to say anything more than that.

Later the President called to the White House a group of Democratic Senators to enlist their aid in defeating the bill for a War Cabinet. Those who came were Senators Martin of Virginia, Democratic leader of the Senate; Swanson of Virginia, acting Chairman of the Committee on Naval Affairs; Fletcher of Florida, Robinson of Arkansas, Beckham of Kentucky, Smith of South Carolina, Myers of Montana, and Hollis of New Hampshire. None of them would discuss their conference with the President.

In his statement, condemning Senator Chamberlain's New York speech, President Wilson said that Mr. Chamberlain's reference to "the present inaction and ineffectiveness of the Government was an astonishing and absolutely unjustifiable distortion of the truth."

The President admitted that there had been delays in war work which, however, he said, had been overcome by reorganization. He asserted that the investigations of Congress had had the effect of drawing indispensable officials away from their work which had con-

tributed to delay and confusion. Of Secretary Baker he said:

"My association and constant conference with the Secretary of War have taught me to regard him as one of the ablest public officials I have ever known. The country will soon learn whether he or his critics understand the business in hand."

But the portion of the President's statement to which most attention was given in congressional circles was the concluding sentence which condemned Senator Chamberlain as an opponent of the entire policy of the Administration. The President referred to Senator Chamberlain's assertion that there was inefficiency in every department and bureau of the Government, and added:

"I am bound to infer that that statement sprang out of opposition to the Administration's whole policy rather than out of any serious intention to reform its practices."

This implied accusation of President Wilson against Senator Chamberlain caused surprise, as Mr. Chamberlain had been accounted one of the President's stanchest supporters. Much of the comment tonight was directed to this charge, many asking where the President had obtained any evidence to show that the Chairman of the Military Affairs Committee had not been in accord with his war program.

Chamberlain's Reply.

Senator Chamberlain heard of the President's statement just as the Senate adjourned. At that time the text of the statement had not been received at the Capitol, and its substance was given to Mr. Chamberlain by newspaper men. He seemed unperturbed. He said at first that he preferred to see the President's statement before replying, but under questioning made this oral statement:

"In my New York speech I spoke extemporaneously and tried to give the impression that I felt that our military policy was a mistaken one. My remarks were intended to deal with the military situation entirely. That was what I had in mind. THE NEW YORK TIMES quoted me correctly.

"I did not intend to make general criticism of the policy of the Government, but this is the impression that seems to have gone out. I spoke of our not having any cohesive military policy and that we ought to have one. To that end I explained the bill for a munitions director and the war cabinet that had been introduced in the Senate.

"The munitions bill is my own, and the other, for the war cabinet, was reported out by the Senate Military Affairs Committee. I made it plain in my New York speech that these were not Administration measures. The only Administration measures I have seen are the bills offered last week by me in the Senate, which had been sent to me by the Secretary of War.

"I admit that Secretary Baker's efforts to better his organization have worked to an appreciable improvement in the War Department's system. He has undertaken to co-ordinate the bureaus, but he cannot expect to accomplish all there is to be done, for the system is at fault. Its inherent weakness in the last analysis is that there is no authority between the President and the various agencies to carry out details of the work. What is needed is an agency that has authority to act, acting under the President and above the Council of National Defense and the War Industries Board. It must be a clearing house, with authority to decide things.

Says He Will Push Bills.

"The chain cannot be stronger than its weakest link. In the War Department the weak link is the lack of co-ordinated authority. I regret that the Administration is not with me in support to the bills I have offered. I am under a solemn oath to perform my duty as my conscience tells me, and I must go ahead with the effort to have Congress pass these two bills, which, I believe, are needed to make the Administration of war affairs effective.

"Even though I have not the support of the President, I intend to urge upon Congress the passage of these bills. I hope the people will be back of me in this effort. I think every one who heard the evidence before the Military Affairs Committee as to the inefficiency of our War Department methods will support the bill now before the Senate."

The ground work for Thursday's contest over the War Cabinet bill was laid in the Senate when the measure was reported from the Military Committee by Senator Chamberlain.

Senator Swanson, who is senior member of the Naval Committee in the absence of Chairman Tillman, thought his committee should have a part in considering the bill because of the relationship of the War Cabinet to the Navy Department.

"I can say that the Naval Committee feels satisfied with the work of the navy," said Senator Swanson. "We do not believe that anything should be done to interfere with the organization of the navy without a full investigation of the conduct of the navy's affairs. I feel that this bill should be referred to the joint Naval and Military Committees of this body and seriously considered by them."

Senator Chamberlain explained that he had not asked for a reference of the bill, as the Military Affairs Committee had believed that the measure ought to be reported, and he intended to press its passage.

Senator Swanson spoke of the bill as "putting a lot of red tape in the navy."

"We are satisfied that the navy is efficient," he continued. "It has demonstrated up to every war requirement. We see no reason why it should be reorganized on account of alleged deficiency of other departments. We strongly object to the proposal that three men take over the work of the navy as this bill provides, for we believe the navy is capable of handling its affairs just as it is being run now."

The bill went over until Thursday, when the question of referring it to committee will be considered. A test vote may bring out the strength of the Administration as opposed to the demand for changes in the methods of conducting the war.

Hitchcock with Chamberlain.

That Senator Chamberlain will be supported by Democratic associates on the Committee on Military Affairs was indicated by a statement made tonight by Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, who had been active in the investigation into War Department methods.

"It is not for me to defend Senator Chamberlain for his speech," said Senator Hitchcock. "He can do that for himself. So far as the committee's investigation is concerned, the truth was all taken down and reduced to writing. It shows the facts, both sides having been heard faithfully and fully. There is no room for controversy on certain points, among them:

"1. That there was a disastrous delay in supplying men with clothing and overcoats.

"2. A very unfortunate delay in supplying the soldiers with rifles.

"3. That they have not yet been supplied with machine guns.

"4. That men were forcibly taken from their homes and placed in cantonments where they were exposed to disease and sickness as the result of lack of shelter and clothing and put in hospitals, in many cases without plumbing, or heat, or adequate nurses.

"The committee believes that these conditions and experiences were entirely unnecessary. There was ample time from the time of the declaration of war in April until the men were put in cantonments and camps in September to have furnished proper supplies if steps had been taken promptly. The country had abundant facilities, if they had been properly used, to have overcome the conditions outlined.

The Senate Committee on Military Affairs was forced to make this investigation because of complaints from every State and every district. After making the investigation the committee avoided a conclusion which would have been merely to make some officers scapegoats for blunders made. It felt it had a high duty to the public to perform, remedial, and that the only proper remedy was to change the system responsible for the trouble.

"Accordingly it has recommended legislation in two bills. One is to create a department of munitions which follows closely the experience in Great Britain and France. The other is to create a War Cabinet, which is also the result of Great Britain's and France's experience. As part of the trouble of the present system is that officers, departments, and bureaus are operating without any co-ordination. The War Cabinet attempts to localise and co-ordinate.

"There was no feeling in the conclusions of the committee. It resulted from non-partisan and patriotic considerations. Indeed, many of the members of the committee are strong personal friends of Secretary Baker and the President. The only desire was to strengthen us for the war. Personally, I regret that the President has not accepted the help offered.

"Personally I feel that the issue has been raised and that it will be before the country until it has been fought out. If the reform is not made, we will go on blundering and plans will continue to miscarry. If we can have a War Cabinet in constant operation, we will be able, when ships are ready, to have coal. We will be able, when steel is ready for the ships, to have cars to transport them, instead of having them congested on the railroads. I understand there are 1,000 cars now held up with steel.

"With a War Cabinet, when enormous contracts for supplies are awarded, we will get the supplies. With a War Cabinet we would have houses for men to be employed in shipyards. With a War Cabinet we would have a powder plant running instead of starting it, as we are now, nine months after the war has begun.

"If we had such a cabinet, the powder mill would have been started last Spring instead of now. Indeed, I am informed that there is likely to be a powder shortage in six months.

"As long as the Government remains without co-ordination or system so long will there be blunder. If the President does not see it now he will see it later."

Senator Myers, another Democratic member of the Committee on Military Affairs, took the side of President Wilson. He said:

"The President is entirely correct. I have no sympathy with Senator Chamberlain's statement, and while mistakes were made, they could not be avoided. Everything has gone as well as could be expected."

Sees Limiting of Authority.

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—In the statement issued by the President tonight most observers at the Capitol saw the collapse of what promised to be a historical struggle.

Senator Chamberlain, whose committee has framed bills to create a war council all powerful under the President and to provide one-man control of munitions and supplies, stated that he would continue his fight in spite of Presidential opposition. It was rather generally conceded, however, that the measures would have but little chance in the Senate and probably none at all in the House.

While the Democrats who stood for the bill were firm, there were no surface conditions as to how far the rank and file might be ready to vote against the President's wishes, especially when he put the case so strongly. It was generally accepted that the Republicans were for the bill.

President Wilson told the leaders with whom he consulted that he felt that the creation of a war council would take the personal direction of America's part in the conflict out of his hands, and likened it to the attempts to curtail the authority of President Lincoln. He indicated that he would fight to a finish. It is understood that at his conference tonight with nearly a dozen Democratic senators there was a general discussion of the Congressional investigations and criticisms of the executive departments.

Senator Chamberlain said tonight that he would not seek to press the measures immediately before the Senate, but would bring them up in several days when their provisions and design became better understood. Hearings in the committee's investigation will be resumed tomorrow with Captain Haugh of the British Army appearing.

In the course of a statement tonight Mr. Chamberlain said:

"In my New York speech my argument was directed to the military establishment and not to other departments of the Government, although it was broad enough to be subject to that interpretation.

"The people are entitled to be let into the committee's confidence. If the people don't want it, that will be all right. It's their war."

RAILROADS IMPROVE IN COAL MOVEMENT

Way Cleared to Rush Thousands of Needed Cars to the Mines.

MORE SHIPS ARE COALED

Locomotives Ordered for Russia Are Commandeered to Relieve Congestion Here.

In spite of the setback yesterday due to administrative tangles in the movement of coal and freight, reports from railroads in all parts of the Eastern Division indicated that the dropping of passenger trains and the decrease in freight handling due to the Garfield order were laying the foundation for a steadier and larger supply of coal to New York and to ports and factory towns along the Atlantic seaboard.

More coal cars than had been there before for months were reported in the bituminous fields of West Virginia and Central Pennsylvania, which have been heavy sufferers from the car shortage. Whereas these mines had been receiving only about 50 per cent. of the cars needed for months, the reports from the coal fields to Assistant Director General Smith yesterday indicated that 100 per cent. of the cars needed to provide for Government orders and preferred orders for essential industries and 80 per cent. of the cars needed for ordinary commercial business were received. Production from anthracite fields were that 100 per cent. of the cars required had been received there, but the anthracite fields have suffered the least from the car shortage.

In commenting on a report from Washington that an embargo had been placed on some railroads, an official connected with the office of Assistant Director General Smith said last night that the Pennsylvania Railroad had voluntarily refused yesterday to receive any new freight until it had cleared its yards of freight waiting to be loaded and had obtained cars necessary for moving new shipments. It was stated that this order had not been issued at the direction of Mr. Smith. The official said:

"Mr. Smith issued general orders some days ago for railroads to put on local embargoes where necessary, but left the railroad operators free to use their own judgment in the light of their closer familiarity with operating conditions on their own lines."

Promises of a decided improvement in the bunkering of ships during the week to be held out. Joseph G. Parson of the Shipping Board said that at the end of a week all of the large ships in the harbor would be receiving coal as fast as they could use it.

The American Line reported that they would be able to send out some of their ships on time this week, for the first time in three weeks. The Cunard Line and the French Line noted a slight improvement in coal deliveries, but officials of those lines did not see signs that the coal situation would soon be back to normal.

More Ships Coaled.

There were thirteen ships coaled on Sunday and nineteen came in. Twelve of these have applied for coal. Fuel Administrator Schley said that there were now in port 110 ships waiting for coal, whereas a week ago there were 213.

There was a sharp drop in the amount of coal waiting in cars and delivered at tidewater in the figures reported to Mr. Smith yesterday. The falling off was attributed partly to the fact that less work had been done on Sunday and partly to the cold weather.

The total coal dumped at tidewater, in vessels to be moved, and standing in cars at 6 o'clock yesterday morning was as follows: Anthracite, 154,650 tons, as against 174,100 tons twenty-four hours earlier; bituminous, 100,450 tons, as against 108,700 tons twenty-four hours earlier.

Severe weather was reported as the main cause for the failure of the railroads so far to make a greater advance in clearing up the coal situation since railroad facilities have been concentrated on hauling coal. An official report sent to Washington on this subject from the office of the Assistant Director General of Railroads was as follows:

Very severe weather through entire Eastern district, as previously reported, was continued. Nine below in New England, 31 below in Pennsylvania, 20 below in New York State and the northern parts snowing and blowing. There was severe shortage of labor at many engine terminals, and many men failed to report to work, and those who did went home on account of the severity of the weather, which interfered with train operations and slowed up same very much. There is much ice in the yards, which is interfering with switching. So far as possible we are getting labor to pick it out. At 10 o'clock this morning weather clearing and moderating and situation is improving. There are empty coal cars at the mines today. We are concentrating movement of empties to the mines, and empties at Chicago, besides movement of foodstuffs east of Chicago, which must be kept up. The anthracite-producing region is still affected by the freezing of pipes, as reported, and improvement can only come with higher temperature.

Locomotives and empty cars from many of the Eastern lines which had carried little coal have been hurried to the bituminous fields. A number of the locomotives which the Baldwin Locomotive Company has been manufacturing for Russia, and which were altered to fit the standard American gauge, have been put to work hauling coal. Locomotives being built on private orders will be commandeered by the Government as fast as they are built, it was announced yesterday, and put to hauling coal until the congestion is overcome.

For the first time a complete survey of the condition of freight congestion on all the lines in the Eastern territory under the direction of Mr. Smith was made yesterday. This is gathered from reports from 222 railroads, many of which have never been included in previous surveys of this kind.

The statistics do not relate to normal traffic, that is, to the cars which are moving and which represent the capacity of the road to handle freight. They represent the number of cars which are idle, and show how heavily the roads are loaded above their capacity to handle freight.

The survey showed that there were on these 222 railroads a total of 64,400 loaded carloads of eastbound freight standing idle. This was a decrease of 305 carloads in the twenty-four hours previous to the survey. There were 6,867 eastbound empty cars, an increase of 529 in the twenty-four hours. There were 42,432 loaded freight cars for Western points standing idle on the lines, a number which had been 4,000 larger than on the preceding day, showing that 4,000 cars of westbound freight had been unloaded, illustrating the speed with which westbound traffic is being unloaded, as compared with eastbound. There were 28,098 westbound empties, a decrease of 864 during twenty-four hours. The heavy movement of westbound empties is due to the rushing of cars to the coal fields and to the wheat producing regions.

The amount of freight in cars in railroad warehouses and dumped on the ground at New York terminals was reported to be more than 30,000 carloads, although the exact figures were not available.

No More Exemptions Likely; New Request to Food Stores

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Exemptions to the fuel conservation order, it was indicated again today, will not be increased. A request by certain department stores that they be permitted to remain open on Monday and operate only seven hours for six days a week was refused.

Dr. Garfield took occasion today to denounce proprietors of manufacturing plants who have announced that they will work overtime five days a week to make up the time lost Mondays. That, he said, would be a plain evasion of the order.

A new ruling regarding the sale of food on Mondays was made tonight. In the original order all food stores were directed to close at noon, but last night they were exempted entirely from operation of the regulations. Tonight the following telegram was sent to State Fuel Administrators in respect to these stores:

"A" wholesale and retail stores selling food are urged both by the Food and Fuel Administrations, on patriotic grounds, to close at noon Mondays, except that wherever necessary distribution of food to the people is endangered by closing food stores are at liberty to remain open all day. The necessity for remaining open is to be determined by the local Food Administrator, who is to notify the local Fuel Administrator."

ROOSEVELT STARTS FOR WASHINGTON

Going to Help Those Urging War Reorganization—Refuses Comment on Stone's Charges.

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt put in a busy evening at the Hotel Langdon last night preparing for his departure for Washington on the midnight train, in the interest of the campaign for reorganization of the methods of conducting the war.

The former President let it be known that he was aware of the attack upon him in the afternoon when Senator Stone in a speech in the Senate called him a pro-German and an agent of the Kaiser. "I shall have nothing to say tonight," the Colonel said to reporters. He repeated the statement several times, and each time his teeth clicked on the word "tonight."

Colonel Roosevelt read with great interest a copy of President Wilson's statement attacking Senator Chamberlain and the Senate war investigation which a reporter for THE TIMES showed him. Finally the Colonel asked that he be allowed to keep the statement for further study, but said that it, also, would go unanswered "tonight."

The Colonel had several callers during the evening and gave every evidence of being in the midst of brisk preparation for his trip to the capital. He gave orders that his telephone should not be run during the evening and hurried from the lobby, where he saw the newspaper men, back to his apartment to work on the matter he was taking to Washington with him.

The visit to Washington is the result of a trip which Senator Smoot and Representative Madden made to Sagamore Hill several weeks ago. They are reported to have told the Colonel that he could do much work toward shaping legislation and speeding action if he would go to Washington.

Colonel Roosevelt, it is said, plans to have conferences with Republican and Progressive leaders of the Senate and House. It is expected that he will make suggestions seeking to hasten and make more effective the country's war program.

Colonel Roosevelt has always been in favor of universal military training, and he hopes that it will become a part of the permanent policy of the country.

According to an early report, the Colonel will attend no public functions and make no speeches in public while in Washington.

SAYS MINORITY PLAYS POLITICS

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"the most potent agent the Kaiser has in America" and "the most seditious man of consequence" in the country.

The Missouri Senator spoke of a recent interview with Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, published in THE NEW YORK TIMES, in which the Pennsylvanian alluded to disclosures before Senatorial investigating committees as showing the incapacity of the Democratic Party to govern the nation. Senator Stone attacked this as indicating the Republican trend of mind to convert war issues to campaign effect."

Calls House a "Texas Lobbyist."

Senator Penrose, in his turn, denounced Senator Stone's imputation of the motives of Republican Senators as "impudent and fallacious." He asserted that Republicans in Congress had supported the Administration in all of its war program, but could not be expected to sustain the policy of inefficiency. He accused President Wilson of having filled important war offices with Democrats, contending that the Administration itself did not seem to take a nonpartisan view of the conduct of the war.

The Pennsylvania Senator caustically criticised the President's picking of Colonel E. M. House to represent the Government at the recent Interallied Conference at Paris. He spoke of Colonel House as a "Texas lobbyist," and said European nations at the Paris Conference must have had a poor opinion of the United States for not having picked a representative who would "reflect the highest ideals of American statesmanship."

"We ought to have sent our Secretary of State to that conference, at which other nations had their Premiers," said Senator Penrose.

Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois assailed Senator Penrose's characterization of Colonel House as a lobbyist as "contemptible." He tried in vain to get the Pennsylvania Senator to retract, but Senator Penrose merely reiterated the epithet.

The Senate debate, which ran along for three hours, was the most tempestuous since the country went into the war. The galleries were overflowing with throng that frequently burst into applause, until the Vice President threatened to clear the galleries.

Senator Lodge's speech in defense of the Republican Party was delivered in slow, measured tones and was listened to in profound silence. The Massachusetts Senator arose immediately after Senator Stone had made his attack. Senator Stone started to leave the Senate Chamber soon after Senator Lodge began, but came back before he was through and as crouched in his chair regarding the Massachusetts Senator with a quizzical eye.

Stone's Charge Outspoken.

Senator Stone, in precipitating the debate, explained that he wanted to talk upon a resolution offered by Senator King, Democrat of Utah, a few days ago, to provide for the mobilization of the country's labor for war activities. He avoided any discussion of the King resolution, however, launching at once into the attack upon the Republican Party.

Senator Stone dealt with published criticisms of the Administration for not making use of the capabilities of Republicans prominent in public life, such as Colonel Roosevelt, General Leonard Wood, ex-Senator Root, ex-President Taft, and Charles E. Hughes. He pointed out that Mr. Root had been sent to Russia on an important mission and that ex-Chairman Hilles of the Republican National Committee had just been called to assist the Director General of Railroads. Senator Stone paid high tribute to Mr. Root, but said he did not regard his former colleague as "a sort of Jove sitting on Olympus."

After speaking of the abilities of some others named, Senator Stone added: "Mr. Taft and Mr. Hughes I pass in respectful silence."

General Wood had been called repeatedly to great responsibilities, the Senator said, adding that the substance of the criticisms in that case had been failure to call him to supreme command of military forces.

"General Pershing is his equal," the Senator said, "and a Republican, as well as Wood."

"Mr. President, the course of at least many of our colleagues on the other side, although quite adroitly directed, has developed a situation about which, as a member of the party in power, I feel constrained to speak in my proper place," said Senator Stone. "The recent tendency of many, not all, but of many Republican Senators, acting here in this body in manifest concert with dominant Republican leaders throughout the country, to make politics out of the war has become too evident to be longer passed in silence. I am genuinely sorry that constantly recurring events make the necessity for speaking of these things mandatory. But I think the time has come to strike a final blow, if that be possible, against partisan activity in the conduct of the war.

"It is evident that the spirit of partisanship is thrusting itself upon the conduct of our national part in this great and bloody international drama overshadowing the world, and I think this spirit of partisanship should be struck dead at once. I have observed, as all of you must have observed, the significant fact that, following the adjournment in October of the extraordinary session of this Congress and immediately following the reassembling in December, a lot of resolutions were offered in the Senate directing investigations of practically all of our war activities. All these resolutions suddenly showered upon the floor by a few Republican Senators, save only the resolution now under consideration offered by the Senator from Utah, and which is really of a character that does not open it to my criticism.

"The significant fact that these resolutions originated with Republican Senators, standing alone, stamps these proceedings with a suspicion of partisan purpose. There is no need for us to be overfastidious about this or to try to fool each other or to fool the country. Republican leaders in and out of Congress are undoubtedly seeking to make politics out of the war. This may not be true of all, I am disposed to exempt some from this charge, but it is true of at least many of the most powerful men of that party.

Personal Glorification.

"There is to be an election next Fall. A new House of Representatives and one-third of the Senate are to be chosen. Two years later a new President, a new House, and again one-third of the Senate are to be elected. Here is presented a chance to the dominating Republican politicians of the country—some of them, perhaps not more than one of them, seeking to promote his immediate personal glorification, and others, acting on a larger scale, let it be said, to promote a party advantage—to strike hard to turn down this Administration and take the Government over into their own hands.

"That fight is on. Let no man deceive himself about that. That movement is on right now, and it is being played out before our very eyes. I see this partisan movement as an ever-thickening cloud on the horizon, spreading more and more every day over the sky. If there be one who does not see this, he is blind. Rising out of this cloud is the abhorrent figure of a political hag, stirring the caldron of domestic partisanship to disturb even in this hour of national peril the sympathetic unity of the American people. That presents a grave question of national moment at this time.

"The fact that political partisanship is thus thrusting itself upon the country is too plain to be ignored or denied, and it is a menace to national unity. We are even now in something more than the initial stage of a partisan attack on the Administration. I cannot suppress the conviction that these various resolutions of investigation, coming in substantial effect wholly from the Republican side, are partisan in purpose and intended to promote a partisan advantage.

"In what way might they promote a partisan advantage? We all know there are various elements of discontent in the country, each more or less potential. Some of these elemental influences you may denounce, and some of you do denounce them, but you know they exist, and their potentiality as political equations is recognized by all of you. It may be well surmised that the natural disposition of these discontented elements will be to strike blindly, although unwisely, at the party in power. Therefore, in a way, by working for the accomplishment of a common end, the defeat of the Democratic Party, the Republicans ally themselves with these discordant elements of unrest and discontent.

Charges a Deliberate Plot.

"But beyond and on top of all that, the thing I especially protest against and denounce is the effort put forward in the name and under the guise of patriotism to disparage this Congress and the present Administration and to excite a wider feeling of discontent and lack of confidence, and to spread the poison of this impression broadcast among the really patriotic mass of the people. Plainly, this sort of movement is afoot. The plan, the purpose, the propaganda are all evident.

"The well thrown over the movement is too thin to obscure or deceive; the mask does not hide the face under it. If you can persuade or convince the people that this Congress and the Wilson Administration have been incompetent, weak, inefficient in supplying the army and navy with things necessary for their support and for the proper and vigorous prosecution of the war, as well also to convince them that, even with respect to the broader financial and constructive policies we have undertaken, we have been lacking in capacity and sound judgment, you will have laid the basis for a popular attack to undermine the Administration. Upon this questionable program the shrewdest politicians on the other side of this chamber and shrewd Republican politicians throughout the country have set their hearts. So I believe and declare.

"Mr. President, I have not said these things without deliberation. Rather am I speaking after deliberation, regretfully. It is plain that powerful men of the Republican Party are for political reasons bent on exploiting what they denounce as Administrative blunders committed in the prosecution of the war. That is what they chiefly harp upon. Seemingly, they are staking their political fortunes upon that. And here I feel constrained to express the fear that we have on this side been misled into doing unwise things, or permitting them to be done, which are being exploited now, not only to our party detriment, but, what is a thousandfold worse, are being exploited out of partisan zeal by Republicans, even to the serious detriment of the national cause itself.

"The mighty, ambitious men of the Republican Party—at least the reputed mighty men of that party—are up in arms to fight this Congress and the Wilson Administration and to discredit both. Do you ask what proof I have for this charge, which it would be almost criminal to make without definite proof? In proof, I present two or three witnesses—the two foremost men of the Republican Party—and out of the mouths of these witnesses I accuse. The number of witnesses I might offer to prove what I say could be multiplied, but when I submit the testimony of these two or three it is enough.

Quotes Roosevelt Articles.

Senator Stone alluded to Senator Penrose as head of the Republican Party in Pennsylvania and adverted to the interview published in THE NEW YORK TIMES of Dec. 21, in which the Pennsylvanian discussed the handling of the war by the Democratic Administration. The Missourian, after remarking that Senator Penrose's own statement proved his partisanship, went on to speak of appointments by Republican Governors as showing a clear trend of partisanship. From that he launched into the attack on Colonel Roosevelt, quoting liberally from articles written by the ex-President since the country went into the war. The criticisms written by Colonel Roosevelt ran the gamut of observations on the revelations of alleged inefficiency in the War Department.

"All these things were written deliberately by Mr Roosevelt," said Senator Stone. "These words, and others of like import—in substance and effect false words—have been spread broadcast throughout this nation and throughout the world. The only possible effect of these widely published utterances of this man has been, as they were designed to be, to discredit and bring the present Government into public disfavor and to weaken its hold on popular confidence. That seems to be the Roosevelitian standard of patriotism.

"I now introduce my star witness, Theodore Roosevelt himself, whom I characterize as the most seditious man of consequence in America," said Senator Stone in taking up this phase of his subject. "The heart of this man is aflame with ambition, and he runs amuck. On my responsibility as a Senator I charge that since our entrance into the war Roosevelt has been a menace and obstruction to the successful prosecution of the war. His chief thought has not been to help the Government solve the mighty problems they have to solve, but always his chief thought has been of Roosevelt.

"Almost every day this man speaks in bitter and contemptuous disparagement of the President and the majority members of this Congress. Every week for a long time he has been and still is publishing under contract for a money consideration—think of it, for money—villainous screeds in The Kansas City Star, which paper has a wide circulation in several States, attacking the President and this Government. By some syndicated arrangement these Roosevelt contributions to the editorial columns of The Star are reproduced in numerous important newspapers published throughout the country."

Senator Stone then referred to the case of John W. Shanks, a commercial traveler who was prosecuted for an attack on the President. He went on:

"Mr. President, this commercial traveler—I do not even know him—merely repeated in conversation and in a minor degree what Theodore Roosevelt had said editorially in The Kansas City Star and which editorial utterances had been reproduced in many of the important papers of America. What I wish to know is why Shanks should have been arrested for repeating what Roosevelt said, while Roosevelt goes free? Why should we make fish of one and fowl of the other?

"Of all men Roosevelt is most responsible for what he denounces. He does his work cunningly. In the front of his propaganda he throws a deceptive political camouflage. I charge that Theodore Roosevelt, whether consciously or out of sheer madness I do not know, is the most potent agent the Kaiser has in America. I cannot escape the belief that this exceptional Colonel, who has played so many games of questionable politics, is now playing another game of his particular brand for a very great stake. Mr. President, upon this proof of Republican partisanship I rest my case."

"Mr. President, can we forget, should we forget, that the present Government is charged with the mighty responsibility of managing the tremendous affairs connected with the conduct of this war? This Government has been charged by the people with this responsibility. Does not patriotism require—yea, absolutely demand—that in this time of war every man should stand behind the Government and support it?

Mistakes Inevitable.

"Do not understand me as meaning—for I do not mean that—that administrative errors, whether of omission or commission, should be concealed from our people, far from that," he went on. "I have in mind only the proper occasion and the proper method of doing things of this sort. Of course, mistakes have been made by the Government—doubtless many and grave mistakes. In the circumstances that was inevitable. But is it necessary for us to stand on the housetops or hilltops and proclaim these mistakes with a loud voice to the whole world?

"Considering the stupendous and almost unsolvable problems suddenly confronting the Administration when the Congress declared for war, in April last, and in view of all the difficult circumstances of the environment into which we thrust ourselves when we plunged into this world war, I take the liberty of declaring it as my matured belief that the achievements of this Congress and of the Administration, accomplished amid unprecedented conditions, signalize a degree of marked success without parallel in the world's history.

"Of course, mistakes have been made. The Congress has made mistakes; may I not venture to say that even the Senate has not been infallible, and almost inevitably the various military, naval, and civil executive departments, including even the President himself, upon whom all together the chief burden of preparation has fallen, have made mistakes in the gigantic preparatory work so suddenly thrust upon them.

"Why, Mr. President, even during the Spanish War, when a small Republican Party was supreme, mistakes were made by our high Government officials, no doubt for the most part inevitable mistakes. We plunged as suddenly into that war as into this one, and with the same general lack of preparation. A volunteer army was raised and gathered together in various concentration camps, ready to be sent to Cuba or the front, as the need therefor should arise.

Same Troubles in 1898.

"In a way we had then the same difficulty in supplying our soldiers with adequate equipment as we are now experiencing on a large scale; even in a more pronounced degree we then encountered the same difficulty we are now encountering about sanitation and sickness in the concentration camps, some of the camps at that time becoming so bad that they were abandoned. Then, also, the Government was showered with complaints of public corruption, fraud, and waste far beyond anything of that kind we have so far had to deal with in this war of incalculably vaster proportions; and we then had complaints, which, fortunately, we have so far escaped in this war, not only of insufficient food, but of unsound food furnished our soldiers.

"It is too early yet to forget the scandals about embalmed beef. I am not indicting or censuring the officials of that day; they did their best and did well, and I believe that the scandalous stories circulated at that time were grossly exaggerated. What I seek to impress by this reference to the Spanish war is that mistakes were made, inevitably made, even during the short period of that skirmish we had with Spain.

"Mr. President, partisanship and politics must be kept out of the war. There are most vital questions now demanding grave consideration and discussion, and other questions of far-reaching moment to our national life will arise in the immediate future, and I hold, Mr. President, that the highest considerations of patriotism demand that all these questions should be met, considered, and determined with an eye single to the national honor and welfare, divorced from all thought of partisan advantage. Any other course would be intolerable. Let us wait until the war is over and the world sane again before we renew too fiercly our old-time conflict for party supremacy. During this period of national stress and world horror, my friends, we are passing we must place country above party.

Senator Lodge spoke for twenty minutes in reply to Senator Stone. He defended Colonel Roosevelt.

Mr. Lodge said in part:

Says Politics Has Been Kept Out.

"Mr. President, nothing during this war has been so profoundly gratifying to me as the fact that since last April there have been no political lines drawn in the Congress of the United States. There have been until today no political speeches which I have heard. There has been no political motive. Both branches have labored together with the common desire to prosecute the war to the quickest possible conclusion.

"Today the Senator from Missouri, greatly to my regret, has made a distinctly political speech. I do not propose to imitate his example by assailing Senators or Representatives in opposite political faith from mine, but I must say a few words to repel the misrepresentations as to the Republican Party.

"I can quite understand, Mr. President, that the Senator from Missouri could find it personally desirable to make such a speech as that to which the Senate has listened, but it is a time when our personal desires should be made subordinate to the public interest. I hope that the speech will be grateful where he desires it to be grateful, as he expects.

"Mr. President, the Republicans of the House and Senate have voted for all the great measures necessary for the war. They have voted for all the money asked, for all the loans authorized, for all the great powers to be given. There have been measures, Mr. President, desired by the Administration which might have failed, which would have failed, in one house at least, without the Republican vote. The Republicans have, to my knowledge, cast no party vote since April 2 last, and they will continue to avoid casting party votes while the war is in progress.

"Mr. President, if there has been partisanship anywhere since the war began it has not been in the Congress of the United States. That has been pretty obvious to everybody, to the most casual looker-on elsewhere. While we were organizing all the industries and all the resources of the United States, as we needed to do in order to win this war, it has seemed to me at times as if it might be well to organize and use all the ability of the country. The parties of this country are pretty evenly divided, and to confine one party to the right to give their lives, their sons, their brothers, their husbands to the armies and navies seems to me not altogether best. I think it would have been better if they had been more largely called, and that was needed all that ability in the general service of the United States.

Dwellers in Twilight Zone.

"I have found no fault, however, with that attitude. The only fault I have ever found is that the Administration failed to take the best from its own party. There has been a great admiration evidenced for what have been called the dwellers in the twilight zone; a great desire to appoint men, few in number, who have wandered from one party to another until some irreverent people have referred to them as the mavericks of politics. They have been those who, whether our cause was right in regard, so far as one can see, to anything except their somewhat varied political record, and put in places of great importance. I have observed also that those wanderers generally permit themselves to be branded by some one who is able to admit them to green pastures and to comfortable stalls.

"The fault I find is in not calling out the best ability in the Democratic Party, if it must be confined to half the country. There are too many men exerting great powers at this moment, exercising great authority, who seem to the observer to have nothing to commend them except their insignificance, which makes them solely dependent on the Executive pleasure. My criticism has never run on party lines, and does not now.

"Mr. President, the Senator has referred to investigations. I introduced one of the resolutions of investigation. The portion of the country from which I come was suffering very grievously from the shortage of sugar and running almost to a famine, and from a shortage of coal; and it seemed to me that it was an obvious duty for Congress to try to discover whether there was anything wrong in the policy that had been adopted and whether there was not some remedy that could be furnished.

"The resolution offered was adopted by the Senate. The investigation has been carried on without one thought of partisanship or party lines, so far as I could see, in the committee charged with the investigation and headed by the colleague of the Senator from Missouri. In that sub-committee, as it has been throughout the Senate, there have been divisions of opinion, but they have not run along the party boundary.

Value of Investigations.

"As to the investigation being carried on by the Committee on Military Affairs, in my humble opinion no greater service has ever been rendered to the country by any committee of Congress than that committee has rendered in the last six weeks. Investigations censured! Is this Congress to stand by in silence while blunders and delays and needless losses go pouring past and to be accused of treason if it tries to make conditions better?

"The Senator has referred to the Spanish war, which lasted three months. We were unprepared then, as we were unprepared last April, and mistakes were made then, even in that short time; but it will be remembered that without Congressional investigation the President changed his Secretary of War.

"Mr. President, if the Senator has spoken about these investigations being of assistance to the enemy in what they reveal. Certainly in the Committee on Military Affairs they reveal to the people of the United States many things which cry for remedy. They reveal very little, in my opinion, that the enemy does not know. But when you speak of the effect of these investigations, what do you think was the effect on our allies and our enemies alike when this Government, not yet fully immersed in war, deliberately closed down for five days all the industries of the country? What impression do you think will be given by that act? What will be the impression upon the German mind when they read of that order of the Fuel Administration?

"I am not going into this point in detail. I have been passing a great many hours in considering it, and I shall have something to say about it later. But it is not well to speak of these investigations as having a bad effect and being hostile to the country when such an exhibition has been made of impotence and failure as is shown in that fuel order.

"The Senator devoted a good deal of attention to Colonel Roosevelt. I do not think it is necessary for me to enter upon any defense of Colonel Roosevelt. He has been President of the United States. His life has been an open book. Whatever mistakes may be charged against him, there is one thing that is certainly true. He never has had any secrets from the American people. They are capable of judging him, and they will judge him. He offered himself for service in the war. He was anxious to go into the army in any capacity, and he was refused.

Colonel Roosevelt's Sacrifices.

"The Senator has attacked Colonel Roosevelt for criticising the President. He supported the President, at least, in trying to have the merchantmen armed and in the declaration of war. He is supporting the war in every way he can. His four sons are all in the war. Three are on the Flanders front at this moment. A disloyal man does not make such sacrifices as that.

"I think Colonel Roosevelt was against the Shipping bill. I was. I did all I could to beat it in the protracted filibuster that ended in its defeat; and the main reason why it was defeated, in fact the dominant reason, was that at that time one great purpose of the act was to buy the German ships and give to Germany at that time thirty or forty million dollars, perhaps more. Amendments to exclude them were voted down. That is why the bill failed, and it is well that it did fail.

"The Senator says that Colonel Roosevelt has been guilty of treason, because he has written certain articles, which the Senator has read here. Is it treason to say that our lack of preparation has cost thousands and thousands of lives of our allies, hundreds of lives already of our men, and uncounted millions of money? That is the hard, naked truth. Is it treason to say that? Is it treason to point to those camps? Then, General Gorgas, the Surgeon General of the Army, ought to be court-martialed, for he was the first to call attention to the sanitary condition of those hapless camps.

"Mr. President, it may be difficult for the Senator from Missouri to understand, in the supreme crisis that there are men all over this country—and Colonel Roosevelt is one of them—whose one dominant idea is to win this war, who are ready to make every sacrifice to do it, who are making every sacrifice in their power to do it, who forget their party in their efforts to reach the great victory, who forget everything but their great, mastering purpose. But there is one thing those men will not do—they will not sit silent and accept mistakes and delays which they think may cost us the war.

"If it is their duty to support the Administration, as they have done, they will do it. If they think it is their duty to endeavor to improve conditions so as to help win the war, even at the expense of criticising those in power in the Administration, that criticism they will make.

Will Not Withhold the Truth.

"The Senator need not worry about the rising tide of partisanship. It will never rise as high here, on this side, as it has risen in his own breast. We shall stand by the war and the Administration, as we have always stood; but because somebody chooses to call us partisans we shall not withhold the truth, as we see it, from the American people.

"The Senator says the utterances of Colonel Roosevelt are treasonable and he brings up—"

"I beg the Senator's pardon," interrupted Senator Stone, "I did not say they were treasonable."

"I understood the Senator to say that in substance," answered Mr. Lodge. "He said men had been arrested and prosecuted for less; and he read the case of a man who had made a remark in the cars, I believe, for which certainly he ought not to have been prosecuted, and yet he is being prosecuted by the officials of the Administration. If they think Colonel Roosevelt deserves prosecution as much as that man, why do they not prosec

SKYSCRAPERS OBEY RULING RIGOROUSLY

Balked by Prospect of Climbing Steps, Most Business Men Take a Holiday.

FEW ELEVATORS RUNNING

Only 13 of the 63 in the Equitable Operated—Woolworth Building Saves 70 Per Cent. in Fuel.

Owners of office buildings obeyed the Fuel Administrator's edict in respect to saving coal in rigorous fashion yesterday. The unusual conditions were met with good nature by the denizens of the skyscrapers, even where reduced elevator service necessitated long, hard walking up the stairways. Inquiries among building superintendents showed that few infractions of the rule occurred, and where the lack of heat and light militated against efficient work those affected locked their desks and went home.

On the Stock Exchange about 500 members, the regular active force, gathered in a temperature of 60 degrees, which dwindled to 40 degrees by noon. The brokers were prepared for a colder atmosphere than they actually found, and business could have been conducted easily enough if trading had been active. As it was, hundreds of traders did not go down to the brokerage offices and the men on the Exchange found comparatively few orders to fill. Scores of the brokers left at noon and the total of transactions, under 290,000 shares for the day, told the story of an inert market.

The Consolidated Stock Exchange was without light, heat and elevator service, while a single elevator served the members of the big board. The Produce Exchange got along without heat and light, and the Cotton Exchange did not open. On all the exchanges the big windows supplied enough light for business hours, but this was not the case with banks and brokerage offices where candles and oil lamps were brought out to help the occasional electric and gas light. At the National City Bank the word went around early in the afternoon that the employes should call it a day as soon as the light failed, which was shortly after 4 o'clock for the workers on lower floors.

Congestion in Elevators.

Some congestion naturally occurred in the taller buildings, where the elevator service was reduced to a minimum, but no real difficulties were reported. In the Equitable Building, as an example, the 900 employes of the Public Service Commission found a single elevator tapping their floor when they started home. The building superintendent quickly sized up the situation and ordered other elevators in operation to meet the emergency and the crisis was relieved in short order.

Men who have been in the financial districts all their lives had a new experience when they groped their way through darkened hallways to find the end of a long line of would-be elevator passengers patiently awaiting an opportunity to get upstairs. As a fuel saver the success of the first idle Monday may be open to question, but as a business depressant it was a remarkably efficient agent. After peering at stock market quotations half hidden in the shadowy outlines of boards, fitfully illuminated by candles, hundreds of men grew discouraged and made their way uptown to find cheer at matinee or moving pictures.

For the most part the superintendents of the Wall Street skyscrapers took to heart, if anything, in obeying literally the Garfield order. There is hardly a structure south of Fulton Street that could not have furnished an alibi on the ground that it houses physicians, dentists, banks, war bureaus, or railroad offices, but none of the buildings took advantage of the exemption privilege. The Hudson Terminal Buildings, at 30-50 Church Street, had so many excuses for operating as usual that reports got abroad that the closing order had made no difference in their service, but inquiry of the superintendent developed that only the minimum facilities required under the specified exemptions were supplied. The Erie Railroad occupies six floors in 50 Church Street, Burns Brothers a number of offices, and the Post Office an entire floor. Elevator service, heat, and light were maintained for these tenants, but throughout most of the day only one car was running for all their tenants, and frequent inspection showed that few of the offices were being used.

The skeptical ones looked to the Equitable Building as the newest and biggest office structure to see how their tenants fared. Normally, the Equitable operates sixty-three passenger elevators for the convenience of the 13,000 persons who make their office in that building, and burns seventy-five tons of coal each day to keep them warm and supply them any power. On Sundays the stokers get along with thirty tons. To make sure that tenants did not use heat yesterday the management employed porters on Sunday to go through all of the offices to shut off radiators, and frequent inspection trips were made yesterday to see that no one who should not come within the exemption clause was enjoying the regular comforts. It was necessary to shut off 5,000 radiators, one at a time, to keep within the edict, and offenders who turned them on again were warned that with a repetition of the act they would be reported to some authority or other, the inspectors not knowing exactly how serious the offense was. The big building started yesterday morning with four cars running to serve those who had to be at their desks, but finding these totally inadequate, increased the service to thirteen. It was thought that 20 per cent. of the tenants are exempt from the closing order, and about 25 per cent. of the normal passenger traffic was cared for by the elevators.

Woolworth Building Saves Fuel.

The United States Express Building at 2 Rector Street houses the Passport Bureau, but no exception was made on this account, and only one of the fourteen elevators was running. Most of the persons who finally got upstairs walked down if they tried to leave at the busy hour. The home of the State Fuel Administrator, the Adams Express Building at 61 Broadway, with its thirty-two stories, was dependent upon one elevator, and many of those who tried to get on board gave up in disgust after a long wait.

At the Woolworth Building the Broadway entrance was the only one open, and yet the system for handling the crowds was so well organized that there was little delay. Ten of the elevator operators formed a line from the doorway to the single elevator in use and allowed only those to pass who could be carried up. E. A. Cochran, Superintendent of the building, said late in the afternoon that about 10 per cent. of the tenants went to their offices and approximately an equal percentage of the persons who usually visit the building on business were carried up by the elevator. The saving in coal for the twenty-four hours the building has ordered closed, he said, would be close to 70 per cent. on the normal requirements. There were few lights in the main hall and none in the offices.

The Empire Building, 71 Broadway, ran a single elevator for its twenty floors, and the employes of the Steel Corporation, among other large concerns, were forced to wait their turn or walk to the fifteenth floor or higher. Their experience was not new, however, as this building was closed last Saturday. The American Express Building, 65 Broadway, was permitted a 50 per cent. elevator service because of various Government offices within it, but heat and light were lacking, except in those offices.

Conditions in general were not unfavorable for a heatless and lightless day downtown. While the temperature was low in the early hours, there was no wind such as pierced through door and window during the cold snap of the first week of the month. Most of the buildings were well warmed during Sunday night and retained their heat until after many of the workers reached their offices yesterday. In a few places efforts were made to keep the temperature up by the use of electric heaters, as in the Chase National Bank, but the open fireplaces in which brokers and bankers had been wont to burn coal or wood were dark and dead.

LIGHTS DIM AT DINNERS.

Hotels Saving Electrical Current at Large Public Feasts.

Several hotels are reducing the lighting at large public dinners. For some time lights in the dining rooms and grill have been subdued, but it has been the custom when a public dinner was given to brilliantly illuminate the room.

The plan of reducing lights at dinners was first put into effect several weeks ago at the Waldorf, at the Ohio Society dinner, one of the largest public dinners of the year. Not a word of unfavorable comment was heard. The same results have attended succeeding dinners, and the Waldorf management is inclined to agree with many lighting experts, who have declared that the public has not only been using 25 per cent. more light than is necessary, but has also been subject to a needless physical strain brought on by an excess of light rays.

CITY NOW MAY SEIZE COAL.

Mayor Signs the Ordinance—Court to Fix Compensation.

Mayor Hylan yesterday signed the ordinance passed by the Board of Aldermen on Thursday, authorizing the city to seize coal for the general welfare, in the interest of health and for the relief of the poor of the city. As the Mayor believes that some of the public service corporations have more coal stored than is necessary, the Fuel Administration is watching with considerable interest to see what the Mayor will do.

Under the ordinance the Mayor can acquire in the name of the city any coal within the limits of the city. The ordinance provides that thirty days after taking the coal the Corporation Counsel shall apply to a Justice of the Supreme Court for a determination of the amount of compensation the owner shall receive.

The Mayor arrived at the City Hall at 8:12 o'clock yesterday morning. His first announcement was that George Ehret had offered the city 250 tons of coal to relieve suffering.

BIG STORES CLOSED IN SHOPPING AREAS

Dry Goods and Department Houses Obey Garfield Order in Spirit and Letter.

SOME SMALL SHOPS OPEN

Sale of Liquor Is Stopped in Cafes When Proprietors Are Told They Are Violating Law.

New York City's big dry goods and department stores set an example of patriotism yesterday in the manner in which they obeyed the first Monday closing order, in spirit and letter. All the big stores closed, and every man or woman employed will get a day's salary, as Dr. Garfield and President Wilson had requested.

While a strict interpretation of the closing order might have permitted the big dry goods stores to be open, as some of the small merchants did, one of the leading members of the Retail Dry Goods Association said last night it "wouldn't be playing square with the Government to evade the consequences of the order by a technicality."

"We shut up tight all day," said this member of the association. "Our employes lost nothing, for we are going to pay to each and every one of them a full week's wages. The proprietors are going to lose a little by it, but after all we find things pretty easy, and I guess there is not a man in the business but who is at heart glad that he can contribute even so little a sacrifice to the need of the Government.

"We might have interpreted the law so we could have been open, but we would have had to work in a chilly atmosphere, and we could not have used many lights. But when it came to a vote of the association it was unanimously decided for every one to take a holiday, and, furthermore, give a holiday to his employes."

Merchants of the city are determined to request the Fuel Administration to permit them to be open six days next week on shorter hours. If necessary, the request will be carried directly to President Wilson. The merchants say that outside of the fact that business will not be disturbed and that everybody will have a chance to do his shopping without undue crowding or haste, that much coal can be saved than under the Monday closing order. One big store figures that by being open from 10 to 5 every day for six days, instead of from 9 to 6 five days, it will save three tons of coal a week.

Sends Letter to Merchants.

J. M. Gidding of J. M. Gidding & Co., who has just returned from a business trip through the South and Middle West, declared yesterday that everywhere owners of the larger stores felt that greater saving could be effected for coal and business if the order were amended to curtail the hours of business and allow the stores to be open six days a week. Mr. Gidding said that he had sent a letter to merchants throughout the country asking them to co-operate in an effort to show the Fuel Administration the error in forcing a closed Monday on dry goods and department stores.

Some of the smaller stores remained open, but the number was not ascertained. An official of the Fuel Administration said that, all things considered, the smaller merchant of the city "did his bit" on closed Monday just as patriotically and conscientiously as others.

Dry goods concerns in the wholesale district were closed, and, so far as could be learned, the majority of them agreed to pay their employes for the holiday. There has been no protest from the wholesale merchants, and many of them are trying to meet the situation by working all day Saturday instead of closing at 1 o'clock. However, those which have Southern mill connections, especially with general and Government contracts where time is pressing, have expressed themselves as worried over the outcome of Monday closings.

"Everything seems to be combining to make it hard for us this Winter," said one man prominent in the wholesale dry goods district. "We could stand it ordinarily and figure it in the general balance of profit and loss, but this season, of all others, there is imperative need for speed. General contracts on which Government contracts depend have to be filled, as well as direct Government contracts, all in the minimum of time. We have obeyed the order and intend to continue doing so."

A misunderstanding of the order led many storekeepers to believe that if they turned off their heat and burned candles or lamps instead of gas or electric light they were obeying the order. When policemen and officials from the office of Fuel Administrator Schley notified the storekeepers that lights could not be burned, as a rule they replied: "I will put out the lights, I didn't understand."

Most of the United Cigar Stores and the Schulte stores, which announced they would be open for business, even if the clerks had to wear overcoats and caps, were open a few hours in the middle of the day, but lack of light forced them to close. One or two stores tried burning one light and some tried candles, but the police and inspectors from the Fuel Administrator's office stopped this, and before nightfall every cigar store in the city was closed.

There was some confusion among the café proprietors as to how far they could go. At a meeting Sunday, after consulting counsel, it was decided that the order would be complied with if the various bars were closed and drinks served only with meals as on Sundays. Accordingly preparations were made to serve liquor in all cafés.

Liquor Sale Stopped.

Fuel Administrator Schley in the morning called up Patrick Kyne, manager of Murray's Restaurant, and warned him that the restaurateurs were violating the law by selling drinks in a room that was heated. Mr. Kyne got in touch with John J. Cavanagh, President of the Society of Restaurateurs, and the latter notified the other members. By nightfall, none of the cafés was selling drinks.

There were cabaret performances at all the cafés yesterday, but there will be none today under the resolution adopted Sunday by the restaurateurs.

Members of the Hotel Association, operating about 125 hotels, forbade the sale of liquor in dining rooms yesterday, although counsel for the association had assured them that the order of Dr. Garfield was "a conservation measure and not a prohibition ruling." Although all bars were closed by the ruling, the officers of the association said the individual members of the association would have to decide whether they wanted to test the disputed point as to whether they could serve liquor with meals in heated dining rooms. Thomas D. Green, President of the association, said last night that the daily revenues of the larger hotels had been cut at least one-sixth by observance of the rule because many persons who had gone to the hotels for meals walked out when they learned that they could not buy liquor in the dining rooms. In some of the big hotels as many as fifty employes were without work. They will be paid for the day. Mr. Green added that it was "the dryest day he had ever seen in the hotels."

United States Marshal Thomas D. McCarthy made a tour last night of the east side to ascertain at first hand whether the stores and shops in that, the most crowded part of the city, were obeying the Garfield order. He went through practically all of the principal streets and then made an inspection of the Bowery and Chinatown. He did not find a single violation. Every store and every saloon which came within the provisions of the regulation was closed tight.

From the east side and Chinatown Marshal McCarthy proceeded to the Austrian section on the east side, between Seventieth and Eightieth Streets. He had been told that he would probably find some violations in that night life loving part of the city, but he saw none.

BOARDS LACK POWER.

Commissioner Whitey Explains Failure to Use Tube for Freight.

In commenting yesterday on the testimony of Secretary McAdoo relative to the transportation of coal through the Pennsylvania tubes, Public Service Commissioner Whitney said that the action of Mr. McAdoo, as Director General of Railroads, illustrated Government control as compared with regulation. He said that one of the first matters considered by the Committee on Freight Congestion, consisting of Interstate Commerce Commissioner Harlan, W. E. Donges of the Public Utilities Commission of New Jersey, and himself, was the use of the tubes for freight and coal.

"The suggestion," he said, "was at once taken up with representatives of the Pennsylvania Railroad and the Long Island Railroad, who objected to the use of the tubes on the ground that they were intended primarily for passenger business. Objection was also made to the immediate use of the New York Connecting Railroad on the ground that the Pennsylvania and New Haven railroads had not yet come to an agreement as to the financial terms for the use of the Connecting and the Long Island railroads."

Mr. Whitney pointed out that the franchise granted to the Pennsylvania Railroad by the Rapid Transit Commission and the Board of Estimate prohibited the use of such tubes for freight, and that to modify the franchise would require the joint action of the Public Service Commission and the Board of Estimate, which would take some time. Representatives of the companies were assured, however, that the use of the tubes during this crisis would not result in any official interference during the period of emergency. Mr. Whitney then said:

"Ten days or more later the President took control of the railroads and appointed Mr. McAdoo as Director General. Immediately he directed that coal be sent through the Pennsylvania tubes and that the New York Connecting Railroad facilities be placed in operation. This action is an illustration of the effectiveness of Government control of all the railroad facilities and illustrates the results that can be obtained in times of emergency by the Director General rather than by regulation."

FUEL AIDS' REPORTS SHOW 30 VIOLATIONS

Coal Administrators Here Say Some Offenders Misunderstood the Order.

BUSY SOLVING PROBLEMS

Schley Praises Business Men and Police for Co-operation—More Industries Are Exempted.

Fuel Administrators in New York City spent a busy day yesterday straightening out entanglements and receiving reports of violations of the closing order from Inspectors, who, assisted by the police, were on the alert all day to see that the order of Dr. Garfield was obeyed. As the day drew to a close Albert H. Wiggin, State Fuel Administrator, and Reeve Schley, County Fuel Administrator, declared that the order was generally adhered to.

Thirty violations were reported to Mr. Schley and an investigation was made of each report. In some cases inquiry disclosed that there was a misunderstanding as to the requirements of the order, and the stores closed. Some reports were made of places where business was being conducted without light or heat, which was not a violation of the order. Reports came to Mr. Schley that some hotels and restaurants were selling liquor. Mr. Schley ruled this was a technical violation of the rule, and asserted that such action did not show a spirit of living up to the provisions of the order. Asked if prosecutions would follow, he replied that that was a matter for the District Attorney. Summing up the situation, Mr. Schley said in the main the violations were trivial when it was taken into consideration the number of places throughout the city that lived up to the order in spirit and letter.

Sees Much Accomplished.

One of the staff of Administrator Schley said that much had been accomplished through the co-operation of the business men of the city. The results could not have been obtained in any other way, he said, when it was considered that the order came so suddenly, and the County Administrators had no great force for policing the city.

Joseph F. Ahern, Fuel Administrator in the Bronx, estimated that 2,000 industrial plants had obeyed the closing order. He estimated that about 250 plants operated under exemptions.

Mr. Schley said that the Edison Company reported that it was only carrying its usual holiday current, and this meant a cutting down of current of about 50 per cent. The saving of fuel by the New York Steam Company which supplies heat and power to many downtown buildings reported that it was only carrying 40 per cent. of its usual current.

The attention of the Fuel Administration was called to the fact that a number of coal and oil firms had closed their regular places of business, but were showing their goods in hotel rooms. Mr. Schley said that he considered this was an evasion of the spirit of the law, but added that those who did so were certainly patriots. As this action involved a legal technicality, he sent a communication to the Hotel Association and also called the matter to the attention of the United States District Attorney.

The County Fuel Administrator granted 120 exemptions yesterday. Most of these had to do with the food handling industries and those doing business under classes already exempt. Mr. Schley explained that when exemption is granted in a certain line of work that does not apply to all so engaged. Individual firms must each obtain exemption. The Administration decided that matsoth making was exempt.

The Crocker-Wheeler Company yesterday received a telegram from P. B. Noyes, Dr. Garfield's representative here, exempting the company from the provisions of the conservation order. The exemption was granted on the ground that the Crocker-Wheeler Company was engaged in Government work. Twenty-eight hundred employes in the company's factory at Ampere, N. J., are affected by the exemption.

Other industries declared exempt and not before made public were bakers' supplies, manufacture of mine lamps, warehouses where food is stored, metal emergency work, all sub-contract work of the Remington Arms Company, railroad timetable printing, and submarine boat appliances.

COAL MOVING FROM MINES.

Pennsylvania Lines Cut or Stopped Sunday Passenger Traffic.

POTTSVILLE, Penn., Jan. 21.—More trains were started for tidewater in the last thirty-six hours than were moved in a single week of the coal shortage, according to railroad men. All railroads tapping the Pennsylvania anthracite fields by mobilizing locomotives, crews, and laborers have made headway in reducing the number of loaded coal cars which has been jammed in classification yards and on sidings.

At least 5,000 "battleships" and hoppers, their capacity ranging from fifty to twenty tons, railroad officials estimate, are strung out along the mining districts. The railroads hope to break the congestion by the end of the week.

General Manager Keffer of the Reading Railway has taken charge of coal train movements out of the St. Clair yard near here. Under his direction about 400 cars, carrying about 16,000 tons of coal, have been sent out since midnight Saturday.

Both the Pennsylvania and Reading roads gave coal trains the right of way over passenger traffic yesterday. The Lehigh Valley road canceled al Sunday passenger traffic on branch lines. An embargo on passenger service of from two to five days on branch lines is advocated by railroad men as the most effective means of relieving the congestion.

BROOKLYN FOLLOWS RULING TO THE LETTER

U. S. Marshal Investigates Reported Violations, but Finds None of Importance.

The first of the series of heatless and lightless Mondays was observed generally not only in the letter but in the spirit of the order of Fuel Administrator Garfield throughout Brooklyn yesterday. Merchants and heads of industrial plants closed down their places of business, and in nearly every instance arranged that the pay of their employes went on the same as if they had put in the day at labor. There were many requests for exemptions made to Fuel Administrator Frederic E. Gunnison, but only in rare cases were they allowed.

United States Marshal James M. Power and his deputies investigated complaints of alleged violations in factories. In every instance his men found that only sufficient heat was being used to keep the plants from freezing and in no place was any work being done.

In addition to the Marshal's men, the Police Department and a force of city employes organized under Borough President Edward Riegelmann toured the borough on the lookout for violations. In some neighborhoods cigar and candy stores were found using candles for light. They were warned and promptly extinguished the candles. Many saloons opened their bars through the hours of daylight, but as the shades of evening approached there was a general closing down and Brooklyn experienced the driest night in its history.

The office of Fuel Administrator Gunnison was crowded all day with persons wishing information concerning some particular point in the order. Mr. Gunnison did not attempt to interpret the order.

Numerous complaints of violations were made to the Administrator, who turned them over to United States District Attorney Melville J. France for investigation. In most instances the District Attorney called upon Marshal Power to make an investigation, and if the latter finds the offenders violated the order with knowledge of what they were doing the District Attorney will prosecute.

The Brooklyn Rapid Transit system operated its cars under a modified holiday schedule, and traffic, while heavier than on Sunday, in no manner approached the volume of an ordinary working day. The department stores in the borough closed down completely and several chain tobacco firms were also closed. All of the theatres held special holiday matinees and at most of the moving picture houses large crowds awaited the opening of the ticket booths early in the afternoon.

MINERS SUPPORT GARFIELD.

Indianapolis Convention Pledges the "Maximum Production of Coal."

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 21.—Union mine workers in convention here spent the first heatless Monday in consideration of matters pertaining largely to the welfare of their organization.

They started the day by giving to Dr. H. A. Garfield, Fuel Administrator, their "unqualified support and co-operation in his great task," and pledged to him the maximum production of coal possible in the fields where the miners are organized.

Among the resolutions adopted was one favoring old age pensions.

10,000 IDLE AT ALBANY.

City Bone Dry and All the Theatres Largely Attended.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Jan. 21.—For the first time in its history Albany was bone dry today, no liquor being sold at hotels even with meals. The saloons were all closed.

All the theatres did a big business. About 10,000 persons in the city were idle. Retail shops, except food and drug stores, were closed all day.

CONFUSION IN CITY ON WORKLESS DAY

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on Manhattan, on Staten Island, and in Hoboken.

As workmen reached the war zone line, through which they had on previous days passed without delay on their recognition by a guard or by a pier Superintendent, they found not only soldiers but also a large force of policemen on guard.

"Show your pass," a policeman would order.

"I work here. I'm a longshoreman," the man would reply.

"You can't get in without a pass today," the policeman replied.

"But I have been working here every day. Everybody knows me here."

"That doesn't make any difference. You have to bring a war zone pass if you get in here. That is the order today. Nobody gets in without a pass."

Early in the morning groups of workmen stood in front of most of the large piers, pleading with obdurate policemen and soldiers for permission to go to work. Pier Superintendents were soon telephoning to their downtown offices, and before noon the Captains of tugs were notifying coal companies that they had been waiting for hours alongside of ships, but that no workmen were there to take off the coal.

This situation was soon placed before all of the Government railroad officials, fuel controllers, and shipping chiefs. The wires to Washington were kept hot about it. A delegation from the Longshoremen's Union called on Collector of the Port Byron Newton about it.

Newton Modifies the Order.

Collector Newton finally issued a modification of the rigid war zone rule. Under the new rule properly identified workmen will be admitted to do the essential work of coaling and loading steamers and unloading barges until passes are provided for them. In other words, the new rule re-establishes the old condition, but in the meantime hundreds of workmen who had been driven awy had left the waterfront, and their day's work was lost.

Under the rule, which lasted for about half a day yesterday, everybody, including workmen, going through the war zone was required to have a pass bearing his photograph. It had been understood that the previous rule was to be made more rigorous, but it had been reported that the drastic enforcement of the order was not to begin until Feb. 1.

The reason it was put into effect unexpectedly yesterday was because of recent threats that attempts would be made to destroy shipping by bombs. Workmen have complained through their union officials that it was a hardship on them to be forced to get their pictures taken and to make a visit to the Custom House to get their passes stamped and certified, and it is understood that arrangements for passes for longshoremen and others are to be made hereafter by their union officials.

It could not be learned yesterday who was responsible for the sudden order to enforce the war zone rule, which did more than anything else to interfere with yesterday's plans for easing the coal crisis. It was reported, however, that the peremptory order came from Washington.

Shipping companies which reported to W. B. Pollock, Deputy Director of Marine Operation for the New York railroads, who is now a Government official, said that 280 men handling coal for them had been prevented from working by the war zone order. They were only a fraction of the total of the men so barred.

Crane Fought Gunnison's Ruling.

The second of the obstacles which hampered yesterday's efforts to clear the harbor and railroad terminals for efficient service arose when word was spread among the drydock men that with the exception of some engaged on navy work, drydocks were to be closed absolutely.

The first complaint came to W. B. Pollock, Deputy Director of Marine Operations, from Alfred M. Crane, President of Theo. A. Crane Sons Company, a drydock and repair plant at the foot of Columbia Street. Although he was engaged on repairing railroad tugs, which are now in the Government service, Mr. Crane said that Frederick E. Gunnison, the Brooklyn Fuel Controller, had refused to authorize him to proceed with work in his yards.

Mr. Pollock reported this to State Fuel Controller Wiggin and to Assistant Director General of Railroads A. H. Smith. They took up the matter with other officials, Mr. Smith telegraphing direct to Fuel Controller Garfield, asking him to rule that the Garfield order should not be construed to impede the repair of damaged tugs, which were the most essential factor in the harbor situation. Mr. Crane returned to Controller Gunnison after his case had been threshed out by nearly all of the Federal officials assaigned to smooth out fuel and transportation tangles.

After he had made a statement averring that yards were employed on repairing tugs needed in the harbor and specifying the damage to be repaired, Mr. Gunnison issued an exemption order permitting him to proceed with this work.

The position taken by Mr. Gunnison, as he later explained it, was that dry docks were prohibited from working by the general terms of the Garfield order and that they were supposed to remain closed unless specifically authorized to do certain work. He said:

"When applications for rulings have been made to me by dry dock operators I have refused to make any interpretation of the Fuel Controller's order for them, but I have offered to grant permits to allow certain work to be done when statements were submitted showing that it was exempt under the order."

When Mr. Crane was asked about his difficulties last night he said:

"I called on Mr. Gunnison and asked if I could proceed with my work on New York Central tugs. He seemed indisposed to grant it and would not authorize me to go ahead.

"I then appealed to other Government officials in Manhattan, and they promised to aid me after I had laid the case before them. I then returned to Mr. Gunnison and made a specific statement of the work in my yards. Mr. Gunnison then granted my request to be allowed to proceed with the work."

When the railroads found yesterday that they were getting no co-operation from merchants in the plan to move freight, appeals were made to Washington to issue directions that merchants had a right to move freight on the workless days, and furthermore that this was an essential feature of the plan to clear up the congestion.

When it was asked yesterday at the office of the Assistant Director General of Transportation what reason the railroads had to believe that the merchants knew the part which they were expected to play, it was said that they might have deduced this from the order itself and from official interpretations of it. When Lee Kohns, President of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation, was questioned about the matter last night he said:

"How can merchants handle freight when they are not allowed to run elevators in their buildings? It is not only a matter of hauling freight, but of handling it in the warehouses.

"If the merchants were expected to carry away freight and store it yesterday, they certainly knew nothing about it. No indication of any kind was given to them. No one had any right to interpret the order as allowing him to handle freight in his warehouse or place of business. If that was what was wanted, it should have been explicitly stated.

"The tendency of the commercial community, regardless of their feeling as to the wisdom of the order, is to obey it in the spirit as well as the letter. For reasons of patriotism, they have been construing it strictly.

"If it is intended that merchants should truck freight hereafter on days designated in the order, no time should be lost in Washington in issuing an explicit statement to that effect."

Confusion of Authority.

The confusion of yesterday was increased by the difficulty, which the various Federal officials had in deciding which man had jurisiction over a given question and in communicating with each other when preliminary problems of authority had been solved. Matters of jurisdiction which were nice questions for the various railroad and fuel heads themselves were entirely beyond the depth of longshoremen's officials, steamship officials, dock superintendents, drydock and factory heads, who were confronted with innumerable puzzles in application of the Fuel Controller's order.

Appeals for rulings on shipping and industrial questions were sent to every Federal appointee who had anything to do with coal or shipping, and usually went to the wrong man in the first place. The offices of the City Fuel Controller, of the State Fuel Controller, of the Assistant Director General of Railroads, of the Deputy Director of Marine Operations, of the United States Shipping Board, of the Emergency Fleet, of the Collector of the Port, and of Joseph E. Parson, who has been authorized to control floating equipment in the harbor—were bombarded with requests for rulings of all sorts, and the applicant for information naturally had to go from one to another until many gave up in despair. The telephones of these offices were busy most of the day. Most of the knotty questions were relayed at once to Washington.

The fact that the officials in authority were scattered in offices in many parts of the city made it not only difficult for the private person to reach them, but made it difficult sometimes for them to get in touch with each other.

FUEL ORDER CONCEIVED HERE.

Hylan's Representatives Were at Conference Where Idea Originated.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The idea of the fuel restriction order was conceived at conferences in New York on Jan. 12 and 14, attended by Senator Calder, representatives of Mayor Hylan, and representatives of the Fuel Administration, George W. Nasmyth, the Fuel Administration's Executive Secretary, today told the Senate Manufacturers' Committee.

After the Fuel Administration decided to enforce the plan, he said, it was laid before President Wilson, Director General McAdoo, and Chairman Hurley of the Shipping Board, but only the approval of the President was asked. Nasmyth said it was shown to McAdoo and Hurley merely for their information.

The plan was perfected, Nasmyth continued, on the night of Jan. 15 at a conference of Fuel Administrator Garfield, P. B. Noyes of the Fuel Administration, and H. D. Nims, legal adviser to Dr. Garfield. The following day it was considered by all the Fuel Administration's advisers, Nasmyth testified, and issued that night.

Both Chairman Reed and Senator Lodge questioned Nasmyth as to whether the order originated "entirely outside of Dr. Garfield's office," but he maintained that, as far as he knew, it had not.

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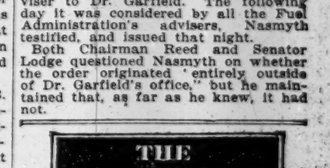

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WIGGIN SEES PERIL IN COAL DELAYS

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fifteen thousand tons for new shipping coming into harbor daily; 100,000 tons needed for shipping now accumulated.

Anthracite situation as follows: Daily average deliveries to New York about 80,000 tons during January. The average normal daily requirements during next sixty days estimated at 40,000 to 45,000 tons. Impossible to calculate with entire accuracy how much of this necessary for uses specified in Section 1 of your order of Jan. 17, but safe to estimate that from 75 to 80 per cent. necessary for such uses.

Best single day in January, 1918, was a total unloading of anthpacite and bituminous of 71,000 tons; this is at least 25,000 to 30,000 tons short of minimum requirements. Much faster unloading at the docks absolutely necessary to relieve this situation. Docks must unload at least 100,000 tons a day under normal Winter weather conditions and can do it with enough labor, using three shifts of eight hours, working all docks twenty-four hours. This situation requires appointment of Commissioner by railroads with plenary power to compel docks to work twenty-four hours a day, pay larger wages for work if necessary, and completely and effectively control railroads in this respect, for these docks are operated or controlled in all cases by transportation companies. Port of New York cannot distribute more coal without immediate relief at the docks. It probably cannot even receive its minimum requirements for uses specified in Section 1 of your order. Have urged railroads to give Dock Commissioner already appointed full power, and urge your assistance with authorities to bring this about.

Aside from this congestion at the docks, which we have explained in such detail, it must be borne in mind that there is not sufficient coal in transit to New York to take care of its immediate requirements and that increased shipments from the mines are essential.

ALBERT H. WIGGIN,
United States Fuel Administrator, State of New York.
Jan. 21, 1918.

Important Officials Confer.

Members of the Fuel Conference are of the opinion that the conference, at which the determination was reached to wire Dr. Garfield a few plain facts as to the existing coal situation, was one of the most important gatherings that have been held in the State Fuel Administrator's office, 61 Broadway. There were in conference with Mr. Wiggin, J. W. Searles of the Tidewater Exchange, in charge of the soft coal that comes to this port; Joseph E. Parsons, Chairman of the Emergency Coal Committee, and James N. Rosenberg, counsel for the Fuel Administration and Joel for the Fuel Administration. Mr. Parsons is in charge of the coaling of ships.

In an early telegram sent to Dr. Garfield, Mr. Wiggin points out that the situation was thoroughly discussed at a meeting of railroad Presidents some time ago, and that it was agreed by them that the principal difficulty was the labor situation. The State Fuel Administration recommended that a Director General be appointed to have complete authority at the coal docks. This led to the appointment of A. K. Norriss of the Erie Railroad as Director of Docks. It is the contention of the State Fuel Administration that Mr. Norris's authority is extremely limited, and that, though the State Administration then recommended that labor be employed for twenty-four hours, nothing has been done about the matter.

Another recommendation made by the State Fuel Administrator about which nothing has been done is a plan to pool all anthracite coal, just as it now done with bituminous. Further to simplify the matter, the conference yesterday not only again urged the pooling of hard coal, but requested also that two or three sizes or grades of coal be mixed together, so that there will be fewer distinctive sizes to handle.

Deplores Limited Power.

This is the telegram in which Mr. Wiggin points out that Superintendent Norris has only limited power and that nothing has been done to lengthen the hours of labor at the coal terminals:

Jan. 21, 1918.

Dr. H. A. Garfield, Fuel Administrator, Washington, D. C.:

On Dec. 31 we had thorough investigation made of unloading at Jersey docks for New York tidewater, as result of which we made recommendations to all of the coal-carrying railroads. A day or two later we had meeting with Presidents of these railroads and Assistant Director General Smith, and the situation was thoroughly explained to them. The result of our conference was that all railroad Presidents agreed chief difficulty was labor situation, largely on account of the fact that this labor was only paid from 30 to 35 cents an hour. We later recommended appointment Director General of Coal Docks, who should have control and complete authority over all the docks. In meantime situation has not improved. On Sunday, Jan. 13, Presidents of coal-carrying railroads met and appointed A. K. Morris director of coal docks and coal-handling facilities, but Mr. Morris was not notified of his appointment until Jan. 17. His authority, however, is extremely limited, as it is confined only to making an inspection and reporting recommendations to the New York Committee of Executives as to whether facilities are being used to their full extent and to the best advantage possible.

All railroads had copy of report of expert who thoroughly investigated the dock situation for us. For last twenty days there have been daily average of 1,304 cars unloaded at the docks, while the capacity is a daily average of 1,825 cars with seven of the docks working two shifts of ten hours each and four of the docks working one shift of ten hours. We recommend that they all work twenty-four hours and thereby increase their facilities to 2,000 cars per day. Nothing has been done along these lines. The situation has not been improved. We must have action. Sending copy of this telegram to W. G. McAdoo and A. H. Smith.

ALBERT H. WIGGIN.
State Fuel Administrator.

Calls for Pooling of Anthracite.

Here is the telegram asking that anthracite arrivals be pooled:

Jan. 21, 1918.

Dr. H. A. Garfield, 1023 Sixteenth Street N. W., Washington, D. C.:

To speed the unloading of coal from the Jersey piers for the port of New York we recommend that you immediately order all shippers of anthracite to New York tidewater to pool their coal substantially the same as soft coal is pooled. Further, that anthradite coal be unloaded over these docks in the following manner—that any car of grate or egg be considered as one size, any car of stove or nut as one size, and any car of pea or buckwheat as one size, and any car of rice or barley as one size. All of the foregoing is recommended as an emergency measure, as the piers in New Jersey have had standing four cars of anthracite for every one car unloaded. We are informed by the very best authorities in charge that the foregoing measures will greatly increase the unloading by reducing the number of sizes from eight to four. Unless the foregoing recommendations are adopted immediately shipments of anthracite to New York will be materially reduced, as shippers and carriers cannot work under new demurrage rules as applied to tidewater.

ALBERT H. WIGGIN,
State Fuel Administrator.

After the last telegram had been sent the discussion turned to the consideration of the new demurrage rates that became effective yesterday. These rates not only increase the rates but shorten the time when cars can be held free from demurrage. The consensus of opinion was that before the new rates became effective the coal pool that had already been urged should be arranged and that this would take some time. It was felt by Mr. Wiggin that if the new rates were made effective before the pooling was arranged producers would not ship their coal to New York.

Fears Reduced Shipments.

As a result of this unanimity of opinion this telegram was sent:

Jan. 21, 1918.

Dr. H. A. Garfield, United States Fuel Administrator, Washington, D. C.:

In regard to the new ruling on demurrage that goes into effect today, I am advised by shippers and also railroads that this will be detrimental to amount of coal received at the Port of New York. Strongly advise that this be suspended until sufficient time is given to arrange for pool as recommended in previous telegram, or arrangements can be made by individual shippers to digest this under this new ruling in any case where coal is to be shipped to New York. Demurrage charges on shipments to tidewater are in a different category from all-rail shipments, because the tidewater shipment consignee is not responsible for delay in unloading, but railroads themselves are responsible for all delay in dumping into barges, which, as has been pointed out, is one of the chief causes of delay in getting coal into New York from tidewater. If pooling as recommended in previous telegram is not arranged and new demurrage order becomes effective, producers will not ship their coal to the Port of New York.

ALBERT H. WIGGIN,
State Fuel Administrator.

Mr. Wiggin would not comment on what took place at the conference. He contented himself with simply giving out copies of the telegrams.

"These telegrams," he said as he handed them out, "were sent to Washington today. They show the seriousness of the situation here."

The reports of coal arrivals bore out the seriousness of the situation. With the reported lack of labor the situation is further complicated by

CLOSING OBSERVED IN ALL LARGE CITIES

Hundreds of Cars Moved in the Heatless Area, but the Cold Hampers the Railroads.

FEW VIOLATIONS REPORTED

Holiday Quiet in New England Is Followed by Night Crowds in Amusement Places.

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—Closed factories and stores, deserted streets in the cities and towns in the forenoon, and crowded theatres and restaurants tonight marked New England's first heatless Monday. No intentional violation of the closing order was reported.

Boston was virtually "business-less" and almost bone dry. A few tenants of office buildings looked over their mail at noon in heatless office rooms. Some were obliged to climb ten and twelve flights, because elevator service was discontinued. Saloons were closed. Barber shops observed the noon closing rule. In the downtown districts it was almost impossible to buy cigars or tobacco in any form. Cigar departments of drug stores were not allowed to operate. The Boston Stock and Grain Exchanges were open for business, but the members wore heavy overcoats, sweaters, and caps.

Many Idle in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Heatless Monday was generally observed today and it was estimated that 200,000 persons were idle in the Chicago district, in addition to some 400,000 others who were left without work by Dr. Garfield's order closing factories and other industries last Friday.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 21.—With the temperature below zero and a heavy fog, railroads were seriously hampered in their efforts to clear the freight congestion today. The plan to get coal to mills along the Monongahela River by breaking the sixteen-inch ice in the third pool was carried out yesterday.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 21.—More than fifty manufacturing plants making war goods were operating today, but it was estimated that about 200,000 Cleveland workers were idle. Street car service was demoralized, and thousands were forced to walk to work.

DETROIT, Jan. 21.—Fuel Administrators in Detroit and other Michigan cities seemed well pleased today with the manner in which fuel orders were being obeyed. In Detroit not one serious violation was reported, but there were numerous reports of various industries doing more than their share to conserve coal. Zero weather prevailed throughout the State.

CARSON RESIGNS HIS CABINET POST

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under the present circumstances there is wisdom in the course you have taken.

"May I thank you for your great help and unswerving loyalty during the year of our association in this terrible task?"

Foremost Opponent of Home Rule.

When Sir Eric Geddes, formerly Controller of the British Navy, a railroad man with four years of experience of railroading in the United States, was made First Lord of the Admiralty last July, superseding Sir Edward Carson, it was said by the Unionist press that the latter, who is a Dublin University member in the House, "must be provided for." So Sir Edward was first made a Minister without portfolio and then in August Chairman of the British War Committee.

Both the Unionist and Liberal press acknowledged that Sir Edward had made a competent First Lord, although his periodical threats to resign had been disquieting to the Government. Equally disquieting, the Liberal press has since asserted, have been his numerous speeches and interviews, in which he has undertaken to reflect the opinions of his colleagues. In his recent utterances he has categorically stated that he placed no faith in the hoped-for league of nations which was to make war impossible.

His resignation takes out of the Cabinet one of the most uncompromising opponents of Home Rule for Ireland. For years Sir Edward has opposed the setting up of an Irish Parliament, and prior to the outbreak of the present war, when the Irish question was at its height, he even went to the extent of organizing and training the Ulster Volunteers for civil war against the British Government if Home Rule, which would embrace the Province of Ulster, was put into operation. Less than a month before Great Britain entered the war Sir Edward presided over the "Provisional Government of Ireland" at Belfast and in a speech declared that the time had come for the Loyalists of Ulster to translate their words into action. Ulster, he said, was anxious for peace, but was not going to accept a peace with surrender.

Then came the world war, and Sir Edward almost immediately announced that the Ulster Volunteers were ready for service under the flag of Great Britain against the enemy. Many of the Ulsterites were among the first of the British forces to cross the Channel and give battle to the Germans.

Just before Sir Edward left the Admiralty, the Irish Convention began deliberations. As the representative of Ulster aspirations he had expected an appointment to the convention. The Liberal majority, however, is said to have intimated to the Government that he would be safer with a Cabinet post.

Just what the convention has so far accomplished is not known, with its many adjournments and few working days, but Sir Horace Plunkett recently said that it was passing to its last and most important stages, "with a constitution which would fulfill its purpose."

It may be that Sir Edward has now resigned because Sir Horace's "purpose" is not his and because he thinks that he can best serve Ulster on the floor of the House of Commons or because his recent utterances on war aims have caused friction in the secret sessions of the Government, or for all these reasons.

Before his appointment to the Admiralty in December, 1916, Sir Edward had been Solicitor General for Ireland on two occasions; he was Attorney General in the Asquith War Government, from which he resigned on account of the Gallipoli fiasco. He was born in 1854 and made a Bencher of the Middle Temple in 1900.

ASSAILS ROBERTSON FOR BRITISH FAILURE

Northcliffe Writer Blames Him and 'Army Clique' for the Cambrai Defeat.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—The Daily Mail publishes an article by Lovat Fraser, who has long been connected with Lord Northcliffe's publications, entitled "Things Hidden," in which the writer attacks the Imperial General Staff, particularly its chief, Sir William Robertson, and Lord Derby, Secretary of War. Mr. Fraser says:

"The Government do not appear to realize the intense dissatisfaction aroused by their refusal to disclose the facts in relation to the disaster which occurred near Cambrai on Nov. 30. They seem to be unaware that the secrecy imposed in this matter, at the bidding of the Imperial General Staff, has set aflame feelings which have long been smoldering with regard to the character of the direct control exercised over the conduct of the war. Soldiers returning on leave from the front are bringing back stories of the 'breakdown' which undoubtedly occurred, (the words are Mr. Bonar Law's,) in the fighting line before Gouzeaucourt. The subject is being talked about in every village in the land. What are the public to think when the Cabinet try to hush up the whole affair, apparently under pressure from the Imperial General Staff?

"It has become common knowledge that considerable changes in important posts in the army in France have been made or are being made. If no one was to blame for the last phase of the battle of Cambrai, as Mr. Bonar Law seems to imply, why have these changes been decided on?"

Condemns the Ypres Offensive.

Mr. Fraser asks whether the Imperial General Staff, "who were responsible," were justified in starting a great offensive at Ypres in view of the military situation of the Allies elsewhere. "Was there a miscalculation of the enemy's powers of resistance? Has the partial recovery of one or two ridges warranted the heavy drain upon our strength? Were the Government led by the Imperial General Staff to believe infinitely larger results would be obtained? If these questions are not to be answered, let us in any case hear no more of the ridiculous 'theory of attrition.' That theory has been proved to be fallacious. It is now utterly discredited, and the French abandoned it long ago. We attacked at Ypres for larger purpose than 'killing Germans.' Despite the heroism of our undaunted soldiers, the last Ypres offensive was our Verdun.

"The complaint against the Imperial attacked at Ypres for larger purposes lies behind the strategy it directs. In the west it has applied the strategy of the Stone Age; in the east it has designed its operations from the point of view of a Sergeant Major. We have heard much, and rightly, of the mistakes made in the Mesopotamia campaign before it passed under the control of the War Office."

With regard to the Palestine campaign Mr. Fraser writes:

"The Palestine campaign is the fine flower of Whitehall strategy. It appears to have been begun in a casual manner, with the object of 'giving Sir Archibald Murray something to do,' but it is said that he was told to expect no help. He fought and lost the two battles of Gaza, came home, and was furtively rewarded with the finest command in England. In accordance with his usual practice of treating the public with contempt, Sir William Robertson refused for a very long time to disclose the facts about these two battles, in the second of which we had 7,000 casualties. The French call him 'General Non Non,' and evidently he made his customary reply of 'Non, non,' whenever he was pressed for information about Gaza."

An "Army Clique" in Control.

Mr. Fraser concludes by saying:

"We have now to recognize frankly that a particular army clique has had supreme military control for two years and has repeatedly failed to fulfill its own expectations and promises. We must get back to constitutional principles. We want an Eric Geddes—a War Office one, trained as a shunter."

The Daily Mail says editorially:

"In the main we are in warm agreement" [with Mr. Fraser's article] and goes on to say that responsibility at the War Office "is divided between Lord Derby, who is said to have practically no authority, and Sir William Robertson, who is credited with possessing all power. Above these two men there is the War Cabinet. As it is that body, composed of the Prime Minister, Lord Curzon, Lord Milner, Sir Edward Carson, General Smuts, and Mr. Barnes, which is really responsible to the nation for all that is being hidden from it, the War Cabinet can remove either Lord Derby or Sir William Robertson, or both, just as easily as Sir Douglas Haig removed his Chief of Staff last week and replaced him by Sir Herbert Lawrence.

"The six members of the War Cabinet constitute the supreme authority. There are many critics who object to such great power being placed in so few hands. The objectors will grow in number if the War Cabinet persists in allowing Lord Derby and Sir William Robertson to continue hushing up the Cambrai tragedy and refusing to comb out Whitehall."

Public Believes in Robertson.

In opening the campaign against General Robertson Lord Northcliffe is tackling a much more complex problem than when he attacked Lord Kitchener. The latter was still a popular fetich, but his most fervent admirers, in circles where the facts were known, believed that his best work, that for which he was peculiarly fitted, had been done, and splendidly done.

Robertson has not the same popularity as Kitchener, and the crowds may not burn The Daily Mail for his sake. The general public, however, which in these matters draws its impressions from the army which now forms so large a part of the nation, looks upon him as a good soldier.

Robertson is charged by Lovat Fraser, whose views The Daily Mail is careful not to espouse in their entirety, with being the representative of the caste system of the old regular army. That officers of the territorial and new army battalions are confined to regimental duties, while staff appointments are regarded as the prerogative of the old regulars, is one way of stating their charge.

Another way is to say that, whereas the regular officers are but 3 per cent. of the total number of officers in the present British armies, they occupy 80 per cent. of the staff positions. A third way is to assert that only regular army officers ever get beyond the rank of Brigadier General.

With this part of the argument advanced by Mr. Fraser and its corollary, that the brains of the new armies were not receiving their best employment, there has for some considerable time past been, if not general agreement, at least considerable sympathy.

Caste System an Acknowledged Evil.

H. Spenser Wilkinson, Chichele Professor at Oxford, is one of several students of military history who have been advancing propositions that if the best results were to be attained the best brains must be used, irrespective of whether they belonged to the old regular cadres or the territorial, or other branches of the new army, under the scurrilous, but now happily rare classification of "T. G.'s," otherwise "temporary gents." It has been the common belief in circles generally described as being "in the know" that steps were about to be taken to provide a remedy for this acknowledged evil.

What has occasioned the most surprise is the particular method by which the Northcliffe campaign has been opened. The announcement of the resignation of Colonel Repington, military critic of The Times for many years, was a foregone conclusion if The Times, which today preserved silence on the "things hidden" article of The Daily Mail, was going to follow its usual plan of adding its deep note to the journalistic orchestra which Northcliffe's baton directs and of which the first notes were heard in Sunday's Weekly Dispatch.

That the Northcliffe press, which has hitherto been an advocate of the western front school of strategy, should even give partial support to Fraser, who describes that strategy as belonging to the Stone Age, also occasions surprise, and, what is even more important, perhaps, many references to a famous Paris speech.

The public dissatisfaction over the final results of the Cambrai battle are turned to good account by The Daily Mail, which, with Fraser, practically says that the War Office is suppressing the details of the inquiry ordered by Haig. It has been made abundantly clear that the decision not to publish the results of Haig's inquiry was taken by the War Cabinet.

London Times Military Critic Out.

Colonel Repington in an interview published in The Star hints that the Government is in sympathy with the attacks made by the Northcliffe press upon the army high command. It is remarked that The Daily Mail in its editorial on Mr. Fraser's article practically suggested that Lloyd George, "whose hands are very full—too full," would be well advised to attend to correcting the abuses charged.

Talk of the "diamond-cut-diamond" kind, which used to be very common in the discussion of the relations between Lord Northcliffe and the Premier, has been revived. One evening paper refers to "the inspired diatribes of the Georgecliffe press."

Colonel Repington said to The Star representative:

"I resigned my position as military correspondent of The Times purely on a matter of principle. I have always looked upon The Times as a great independent newspaper conducted as a national asset for the good of the country, with its columns open to those correspondents who wished to place before its readers such criticisms of the Government and the public services and institutions as might be deemed necessary for the country's welfare.

"The position of the country today is, to my mind, so serious that no other alternative was open to me than to take the step I have taken. If the present state of things is allowed to exist nothing but disaster can befall the country. The Government has lost the confidence not only of labor, but of the great majority of the public, and if existing methods are allowed to continue it will succeed in wrecking both the military and naval services.

"The great crime of the Government is that it will not tell the nation the truth. If, instead of intriguing against Generals and Admirals, the Government would devote its energy to informing the nation of the seriousness of affairs it might still retrieve its position. Labor has been splendid throughout the war, and I have every confidence in labor, but labor has lost all confidence in the Prime Minister, and it is not surprising.

"For twelve months there has been a campaign of secrecy and intrigue which has sickened every decent-minded person and has been the cause of more than half the unrest throughout the country. The army is tired and disgusted with these intrigues. Soldiers are not politicians. They want no favoritism. They ask for simple justice. But what they see is one good man after another being sacrificed to cover up the blunders and intrigues of politicians.

"Twelve months ago the Government knew quite well what the position was. It was placed before them in a memorandum by the army authorities, but no effort has been made to meet that demand."

Colonel Repington pointed out that Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig in his last dispatch referred to the handicap under which he was working through the difficulty of obtaining adequate drafts a sufficient length of time before the divisions were called upon to take their place in battle.

"Russia," he continued, "disappears out of the war; great masses of troops are flung across from east to west; neither the Government nor I know what the Germans propose to attempt; but, instead of placing its cards boldly on the table, the Government resorts to secrecy, and then follows a newspaper campaign against naval and military men.

"The same game is played every time in this attempt to shift responsibility for blunders from politician to soldier and sailor. It is this campaign of slander and vilification of men who are doing their best under the most difficult circumstances which makes the whole thing so nauseating.

"Look at Cambrai. An inquiry is held and the officers responsible are quite prepared to take any blame which may justly be attributed to them. Sir Douglas Haig reports on the inquiry, and what happens? The War Cabinet sits on it and again resorts to secrecy. Again I say: Why not tell the public the truth?"

Colonel Repington is considered the foremost military critic in England. He is credited with exceptional inside knowledge of the army and acquaintance with the higher officers.

Col. Repington has accepted the place of Military Correspondent of The Morning Post.

Du Pont's $500,000 Gift to Son.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Colonel Henry A. du Pont, former Senator from Delaware, today gave five pieces of Chicago real estate worth approximately $500,000 to his son, Henry F. du Pont. The properties will be used for warehouse and industrial purposes, and are in the neighborhood of Halstead and Twenty-second Streets and Union and Twenty-second Streets.

EMBARGOES TO AID CONGESTION FIGHT

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road Administrations in bunkering ships and providing a sufficient coal supply for domestic consumption. Mr. Hurley does not want to go to the extreme of commandeering the barges and tugs, but will take that step if another means of pooling all facilities is not found immediately.

Dr. Garfield again issued instructions that work at the docks should be continued without interruption, and all Government agents were advised that there must be no unnecessary delays in that direction because of the general closing order applicable to industry.

In an informal discussion of the situation tonight Dr. Garfield said that the results had met his earlier expectations, with modifications because of the severe weather conditions. The response on the part of industry, including employers and employes, he said, had been even better than he had hoped. While there had been many protests and requests for alterations in the general plan, Dr. Garfield stated that these had practically stoped and that the nation had settled down to do its part in making the program a success. His reports concerning the observance of the first "workless Monday," he said, were most encouraging and favorable.

May Ask Embargo Extension.

At this time, the Fuel Administrator said, there was no thought in his mind of extending the five-day period or of calling for other five-day periods later. He had consulted with A. H. Smith before the plan was put in operation, he said, and Mr. Smith, who had his finger on the pulse of the railroads in the East, had been of the opinion that five days would be sufficient to loosen up congestion and get the coal moving. It is possible, however, that Dr. Garfield may ask for an extension of the embargo order restricting the use of open-top cars to coal after the five-day period. He said that he would not cross that bridge until he reached it.

There will be no change in the original plan which provides for a three-day workless period in the weeks including Lincoln's and Washington's Birthday. Dr. Garfield said that these holidays were taken into consideration when the plan was formulated, and it was considered advisable thus to provide for the three-day periods because the coldest weather, as a rule, was experienced in February.

Testimony by Mr. McAdoo before the Interstate Commerce Committee of the Senate that the "workless Mondays" might be abandoned after thirty days was not sustained by the views held by Dr. Garfield. The latter official said that there was not reason at this time to contemplate any step to change the plan in that connection and that it undoubtedly would be carried out as first announced.

As an evidence of the co-operation which the working men had given to the general plan, Dr. Garfield stated that representatives of organized labor had been the first to point out to him that there would be two three-day periods in February because of the legal holidays, and had advised him that they were prepared to bear this added burden if the conditions seemed to demand it.

Action by War Council.

It is believed by some officials that the railroad embargoes which are now to be put in force will have a very great efect in breaking up the congestion. A resolution in favor of a general embargo which would exclude new shipments except fuel, food, and vital war supplies was adopted by the War Council on Monday last, it was reported today. This proposition was before the President and his Cabinet, it was said. It was not, however, put into effect at that time by the Railroad Administration.

It is not generally admitted that the adoption of such embargo regulations would have made unnecessary the closing order promulgated by the Fuel Administration on Friday as a situation had then developed which demanded sterner action. Some, however, held that it would have made the general program even more effective.

The report received tonight by Director General of Railroads McAdoo from A. H. Smith told a gloomy story about weather conditions, but stated that coal movement was better and harbor conditions were improving. It read:

"Jan. 21, 1918, 3 P. M.

"Hon. William G. McAdoo: Very severe weather over entire Eastern district. Nine below in New England, 31 below in Pennsylvania, 20 below in Northeastern New York State, and snowing and blowing, 15 below Ohio, 5 below West Virginia.

"There was severe shortage of labor at engine terminals, and many men failed to report to work. Many of those who did report went home on account of severity of the weather, interfering with train operations and slowing up things very much. There is much ice in the yards, which is interfering with switching. So far as possible we are getting labor to pick it out.

"At 10 o'clock this morning, weather clearing and moderating, and situation is improving.

"We are concentrating on getting empties to the mines and movement of coal; also movement of foodstuffs east of Chicago, which must be kept up.

"Anthracite producing regions still affected by the freezing, and improvement can only come with higher temperatures.

"Accumulation of freight held out for New York continues to show reduction.

"Harbor conditions improving.

"Steamers bunkered, 14; with total of 10,320 tons.

"A. H. SMITH."

Report by Dr. Garfield.

Dr. Garfield's review of the situation reported steady progress in the movement of coal and food and stated that Northern ports over the week-end had handled about 45,000 tons of coal for ships and had on hand about 50,000 tons. His statement read:

"Despite zero weather over practically all the northeastern part of the country, reports to the Fuel Administration today indicated continued progress in the bunkering of ships at Atlantic ports and the supplying of domestic consumers under the administration's industrial curtailment regulation.

"Railroad operation was reported as slackening in certain parts of the country under the tremendous pressure of the cold wave. But the general observance of the Fuel Administration's regulation had confined practically all of the freight now moving to coal for bunkering ships and for keeping the country warm, and all of the progress made benefited these particular consumers.

"Coal destined to South Atlantic ports for bunkering ships was moving promptly, and the bunkering machinery at ports was handling the coal as rapidly as possible. Much of this coal was frozen in the cars, and in many cases it was necessary to thaw it by steam or to build fires under the cars.

"Over the week-end, Southern Atlantic ports handled approximately 50,000 tons for ships. More than 125,000 tons was on hand at these ports at noon Monday available for loading. Preference was given to ships loading for Government account at Southern ports today.

"Northern ports over the week-end handled about 45,000 tons of coal for ships, and had on hand upward of 50,000 tons. Reports from local officials of the Fuel Administration throughout the country indicated almost complete cooperation of all establishments affected by the curtailment regulation. In many cases establishments, which under the strict letter of the order would not have been required to close, had patriotically agreed to suspend business to meet the spirit of the order.

Empty Cars Moving.

"Reports of general railroad conditions in the Eastern part of the country indicated an increasingly rapid movement of empty coal cars back to the mines. Railroads reported a steady flow of empty cars from east to west.

"It was clear that at the end of from ten to twenty days usually allowed for the round trip of coal cars from mine to consumer, the full effect of the order would be shown in securing for the mines a car supply greater than has been available for mining purposes since the beginning of cold weather. Cars were being rapidly unloaded at destination and turned over to the railroads empty for the return trip.

"The railroads, unhampered by general freight movement, were in a position to clear the way through terminals for these returning coal cars, which thus will be enabled to make an uninterrupted journey back to the mines.

"Congested terminals, shortage of power and lack of efficient labor were recorded in a special car supply report made today by Commissioner McChord. One item of cheer was the statement that at several yards the number of "bad order" cars was decreasing. Inability to get loaded cars through the congestion to destination has tied up many cars loaded with freight not in the preferential list, but which was started on its way before the Government took over the railroads.

At the Conway yard of the Pennsylvania Railroad thirty-four trains were reported delayed from two to seven days each for lack of motive power. At the Pitcairn yard of the Pennsylvania fifty-seven trains were ready Jan. 15 to go east and eighteen were ready to go west, but all were held, waiting for power. Some of them had been ready since Jan. 2, the report said. It was said that locomotives were delayed at the Pitcairn yard for "material, supplies, lack of competent help, and poor coaling facilities."

Need of Cars at Mines.

Only 64 per cent. of the empties requested by mines in the vicinity of the Pennsylvania's scully yards were supplied, and eastbound cars already loaded were at the mines Jan. 17, because there were no engines to move them. Some idea of the labor shortage was given in the figures for this yard, showing that there were only 393 men working in the shops Jan. 17, and but 445 on the rolls, although the normal force is 600.

The general condition of power was reported bad at the Pittsburgh yards of the Baltimore & Ohio, yard power being 50 per cent. below normal. This also was ascribed to lack of efficient help.

Embargoes by connecting lines East have delayed the movement of oil on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas. Solid trains of oil now are being run out of Parsons, Kan., while cotton and other freight is sidetracked.

Coal operators reported continued losses in production of an alarming nature as a result of car shortage, due to the zero weather and the snowstorms. The reports showed little improvement, although it is expected that there will be a decided change for the better when the embargo on open top cars for other shipments than coal is in full operation.

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BOLSHEVIKI SEEN AS WARNING SYMBOL

Brutalities and Fierce Excesses Ravaging Russia More Ruthlessly Than Invading Army.

AUTOCRACY'S AIDS GLOAT

Hope to Raise Fabric of Absolute Power Again on Ruin Created by Reds.

By HAROLD WILLIAMS.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 19, (Delayed.)—The Constituent Assembly is over. As the Bolshevist Skovortsoff remarked last night, parliamentary institutions are only a fetich of the bourgeoisie. Red Guards, soldiers, and sailors are patrolling the town today, and a certain amount of shooting is heard, but who is shooting or why it is difficult to discover. A snowstorm is raging full in this fiercest of all Winters, and it is as though all the powers and elements of darkness were rushing and roaring in the whirlwind that enwraps this city of gloom.

Who knows what tomorrow will bring? You sit at home in the sweet security of America and perhaps look hither sometimes and wonder. We seem to hear muffled voices, some saying the Bolsheviki are German Jews and German agents and others saying the Bolsheviki really are not so bad, after all. Some hope desperately that perhaps some scrap, some remnant of Russia may be made to fight the Germans and others consider the Bolsheviki good instruments in bringing about general peace.

I suppose it is almost impossible to give an exact idea of all that is happening here. We have not the time nor the space to tell of the myriad events of the day. If you lived here you would feel in every bone of your body, in every fibre of your spirit, the bitterness of it all.

I cannot tell all the brutalities and excesses that are ravaging Russia from end to end more ruthlessly than an invading army. Horrors pall on us. Robbery, plunder and the cruelest forms of murder have grown to be a part of the atmosphere we live in. How is it that the war has recoiled on Russia in such a national suicide? The tyranny of today is worse than the tyranny of Nicholas II., yet it would be the extreme of folly to wish Nicholas back; for it is the war combined with the long, long past of Russian tyranny that is crowding down on Russia today in a new wild despotism of chaotic revenge for the wrongs of many generations.

The Bolsheviki are blind instruments. To apply to them any ordinary party standards would be folly. They are a warning symbol of those muttering volcanic forces of social upheaval that lie pent up within our civilization, and are being loosened by the war. It would be an error to imagine that they are the allies of intelligent pacifist or conscientious Socialists. These are their bitterest enemies, and it is only the partisans of despotism who look on their work with delight, for they hope on the ruin created by the Bolsheviki to raise again the fabric of absolute power.

The Bolsheviki are emphatically not pacifists. Their object is to substitute for the war between nations a war between classes. The class line is to cut across the national line, and in a new violent war called a revolution, and the proletariat of all countries is to possess itself of the accumulated wealth of civilization.

The Bolsheviki have stopped the war with Germany only to kindle civil war in Russia. The weapons forged against Germany are not turned into plowshares. They are being used to shoot down citizens of Petrograd and Moscow, of Kharkov and Poltava, to mow down the officers of the Russian army and fleet.

The Bolsheviki do not profess to encourage any illusions as to their real nature. They treat the bourgeois of all countries with equal contempt. They glory in all violence directed against the ruling classes. They despise the laws and decencies that they consider effete. They trample on the arts and refinements of life.

It is nothing to them if in the throes of a great upheaval the world relapse into barbarism. They have issued their challenge and it would be blindness to ignore its real meaning. They are determined to carry out their program in Russia, constituents or no constituents, and their next step is to confirm the power of the Soviets. But can they control the forces and passions they have set afloat amid the ruins?

GOOD SEEN IN CRISIS.

Government of the Assembly Would Have Been Without Power.

By ARTHUR RANSOME.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 20.—For the moment the authority of the Soviets is unshaken, and I am inclined to think that, from the point of view of Russia, the crisis is passing better than could have been hoped. If the Soviets had submitted to the Assembly, which was actually the legacy of a revolution before their own, the result would have been the formation of a republic without reality and a Government without power.

The whole good effect of Trotsky's negotiations would have been undone, since the Germans could have said that it was not the fault of their annexationist desires that peace was impossible, but the fault of Russian inability to provide a stable Government. As for the Allies, they would once more have been in their old difficult position when dealing with the Milukoff Government, which while polite in the extreme enjoyed no authority whatsoever. The Soviets at least have real authority. The Bolshevist revolution of October was both justified and made possible by the Bolshevist majorities in the Soviets.

When opinion in the country really changes we shall find the character of the Soviets change. Until then a change in the Government is undesirable. Any coup d'état in Petrograd might be successful, but it would be faced by Soviet opposition throughout the country and the last state would be very much worse than the first.

Telegrams from England laying stress on what was to be hoped from the Constitutent Assembly suggest imperfect knowledge of the actual situation, and particularly that the people of England have not realized that whereas the March revolution was an elemental rising without definite aim, the October revolution was a real revolution with a definite aim and definite ideas. The Constituent Assembly must be considered as the belated last act of the March rising accidentally persisting into the new era begun by the October revolution.

EAST SIBERIANS ORGANIZE.

Convention to Frame Project of Self-Government.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PEKING, Jan. 21.—The movement for self-government is developing in the eastern provinces of Siberia. A conference will convene at Blagovestchenk on Wednesday for organization of an administration. There will be proportional representation, one delegate to each 50,000 of population.

It is hoped that the western provinces of Siberia will join this Government when communication is opened. Hopes are also entertained that order will soon be established in Eastern Russia.

HARDEN HAS PLAN FOR ALSACE-LORRAINE

Would Let Them Choose France or Germany Three Years After War.

By GEORGE RENWICK.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 21.—Maximilian Harden in the latest issue of Die Zukunft, referring to the question of Alsace-Lorraine, says:

"Neither Wilson nor Lloyd George believes in the readiness of Germany to give back Alsace-Lorraine to her neighbor of her own free will. Both perhaps believe in the possibility of honorable compromise. Not today, when old and new wounds bleed when the seed of hate has reared its high stems is a popular vote thinkable, though it might be three years after the conclusion of peace.

"Then it would not be dangerous for the empire, for then two peoples who have nothing in common or in outlook would be set before the choice of becoming two independent Federal States, which alone would have decided their legal form or of returning to terribly weakened and threatened France.

"In an aired and cleaner world should not Germans who have succeeded in great things help on the work of fraternity? Then the importance of frontier posts would decrease, and only in books would there be talk of strategic guarantees. Let us dare to bring things into order. To that the proud ought to accustom themselves, though not for the purpose of doing penance for a crime which to them and to humanity of yesterday never was."

Vogel Is Renominated.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Martin Vogel of New York was renominated, today by President Wilson to be Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York. H. Otto Wittpenn of Jersey City was named naval officer of Customs.

GERMAN THREAT TO END PARLEY

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sides will be withdrawn, and it is provided that arrangements be made in the peace treaty for the immediate resumption of economic intercourse and resumption of diplomatic and Consular relations as soon as possible. As both the delegations considered it necessary to make a verbal report to their Governments, a short adjournment was agreed upon.

On the other hand, a Petrograd dispatch says the Ukrainian Rada of Khatkov, controlled by the Bolsheviki and a rival of the Rada of Kiev, has designated three delegates to go to the conferences at Brest-Litovsk. The delegates went to Petrograd yesterday and conferred with the Bolshevist authorities, who extended recognition to them and sent them to Brest-Litovsk with instructions to confer with the other Ukrainian delegates and determine who actually represents the Ukraine. Only fifteen Ukrainian members out of a possible 100 attended the opening of the short-lived Constituent Assembly.

CONGRESS OF SOVIETS TO REPLACE ASSEMBLY

Lenine Says Ideals of Bourgeois Society Are Unnecessary in a Socialist State.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 20.—The Bolshevist Government has issued a proclamation to the people of Petrograd, saying in part:

"Enemies of the people spread the report that revolutionary workmen and soldiers have fired on a peaceful labor demonstration. This is done for the purpose of sowing trouble in the ranks of the workers, causing excesses and inciting against the revolutionary leaders.

"It has been proved that the authors of these rumors fired at sailors, soldiers, and workmen who are keeping order in the city. The Central Executive has opened a searching inquiry, and the culprits will be tried by revolutionary tribunals."

The proclamation concludes by advising the people to ignore the rumors and remain calm, and by assuring them that order is being maintained by sailors, soldiers, and workmen.

The decree issued by the Central Executive Committee of the Congress of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates dissolving the Constituent Assembly says that the revolution created the Workmen's and Soldiers' Council as the only organization able to direct the struggle of the exploited working classes for complete political and economical liberation. During the first period of the revolution the Workmen's and Soldiers' Congress perceived the illusion of an understanding with the bourgeoisie and its deceptive parliamentary organization, and realized that the liberation of the oppressed classes was impossible without a rupture with the bourgeoisie.

"Therefore, the revolution of November arose, giving all authority to the Congress of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates," the decree says. "The Constituent Assembly, being elected from the old election lists, was the expression of the old régime, when authority belonged to the bourgeoisie. The people who voted for the Social Revolutionists were unable to distinguish those of the Right, who were partisans of the bourgeoisie from those of the Left, who were partisans of Socialism. Therefore the Constituent Assembly necessarily became the authority of the bourgeois republic, setting itself against the revolution of November and the authority of the Workmen's and Soldiers' Councils."

The revolution of November, the decree continues, has shown the workers that the old bourgeois parliamentarianism had had its day and was incompatible with the tasks before socialism, and that only such institutions as the Workmen's and Soldiers' Councils were able to overcome the opposition of the rich classes and create a new Socialist State.

"Every refusal," it adds, "to recognize the authority of the republican Workmen's and Soldiers' Councils and to place in the hands of the Constituent Assembly and the bourgeoisie the liberty which had been won would be a step backward and toward the bankruptcy of the Workmen's and Peasants' Revolution.

"The Constituent Assembly opened on Jan. 18 and for known reasons gave a majority to the Social Revolutionists of the Right—the party of Kerensky, Tchernoff, and Avksentieff. It is comprehensible that this faction refused to debate the just and clear program of the Central Executive Committee of the Congress of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates and to recognize a declaration of rights of the exploited working classes, as well as the revolution of November and the authority of the Workmen's and Soldiers' Councils."

This, the decree says, made a breach in the Assembly and the departure of the Bolsheviki and Social Revolutionists of the Left inevitable. The Social Revolutionists of the Right, it says, are fighting openly against the authority of the Workmen's and Soldiers' Councils and supporting the exploiters of labor, and if this party only remained it might play the rôle of leading a bourgeois counter-revolution. The decree concludes:

"The Central Executive Committee therefore orders the Constituent Assembly dissolved."

Nikolai Lenine, the Bolshevist Premier, was the chief speaker before the committee which issued the decree, and was greeted with tumultuous cheering. He said:

"A conflict between the Workmen's and Soldier's Government and the Constituent Assembly has been growing since the Russian revolution. The February revolution was a political bourgeois revolution, in which the Constitutional Democrats scored success, overthrowing Czarism. In October a social revolution occurred and the working masses, through the Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates, became the sovereign authority.

"By creating the Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates the Russian proletariat brought something new into the revolution. There is no equal in the history of revolutions in Western Europe, except the Paris Commune. The Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates are not bound by any rules or traditions to the old bourgeois society. Their Government has taken all the power and rights into its own hands. The Constituent Assembly is the highest expression of the political ideals of bourgeois society, which are no longer necessary in a socialist state. The Constituent Assembly will be dissolved. It has not met today, and has, in fact, ceased to exist."

The All-Russian Congress of Soviets is expected to meet tomorrow, but the meeting may be postponed to enable more delegates to attend. This body is looked to as one which will either declare itself a sovereign body or designate the means for creating one.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—The Tauride Palace, in which the Constituent Assembly met, was closed on Saturday and a notice was posted on the doors stating that no one would be admitted, says a Reuter dispatch from Petrograd. The officer commanding the guard said the Congress of Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates would meet there. Premier Lenine informed a deputation representing a provincial council of Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates that the Constituent Assembly would not be permitted to reassemble anywhere, but that instead there would be a national convention to be formed by the forthcoming Congress of Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates.

Other dispatches filed in Petrograd yesterday say that the Bolsheviki are now hunting out the supporters of the Constituent Assembly. The correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph reports the suppression of all non-Socialist newspapers, while Red Guards are scouring Petrograd for editions containing reports of the first session of the assembly, which are being destroyed. Search is also being made for Boris Savinkoff, a member of the Kerensky Government, who is believed to be in Petrograd. According to one report, the Bolsheviki intend to arrest M. Tchernoff, who was elected Chairman of the Constituent Assembly.

ROMANOFFS TO BE TRIED.

Ex-Czar Already Preparing Defense to Treason Charge, Says Geneva.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

GENEVA, Jan. 21.—According to news received from Russian revolutionary circles at Zurich, the entire Romanoff family, including the Czar and Czarina, are both to be tried for treason soon in Petrograd by order of Trotzky. The Romanoffs will be allowed to employ cival lawyers. The proceedings will be public.

It is reported the Czar has been informed of the decree, and already is preparing his defense at Tabolsk.

DRUG KILLED GEN. DUFF.

He Had Been Stung by Criticisms of Mesopotamian Campaign.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Testifying today at the Coroner's inquest into the death of his father, General Sir Beauchamp Duff, Commander in Chief of the British forces in India from 1913 to 1914, who was found dead in bed Sunday morning, a son said that the General had been greatly affected by an adverse reference to him in the report of a commission appointed to investigate the Mesopotamian campaign, and that he had been busy preparing an article in his defense.

The jury found that the death of General Duff was due to an overdose of a sleeping potion, taken to induce sleep.

GOEBEN AND BRESLAU BOTH STRUCK MINES

178 Men Missing from Two British Monitors Which Were Lost in the Battle.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—One hundred and seventy-two members of the crew of the Turkish cruiser Midullu, formerly the German Breslau, were rescued after the action between British and Turkish forces at the entrance to the Dardanelles, in which the Midullu was sunk, it was officially announced tonight.

The statement says:

"In continuation of the announcement of Sunday, the following particulars have been received: The Goeben and Breslau emerged from the Dardanelles early Sunday morning and attacked our naval forces to the north of Imbros with the result that the Raglan and Monitor 28 were heavily hit and sunk by gunfire.

"The enemy ships then proceeded south of Imbros, where the Breslau was forced into one of our mine fields. She struck a mine and sank. The Goeben left her, steaming at full speed, and turned toward the Dardanelles. Turkish destroyers, coming to the assistance of the Breslau, were engaged by our destroyers and driven off.

"As the Goeben neared the entrance to the Dardanelles she also struck a mine, which reduced her speed and caused her to settle down aft with a list of 15 degrees. She finally beached herself on the west side of Nagara Point, where she is now being continuously bombed by our aircraft.

"We rescued 172 survivors of the Breslau and they are now prisoners of war in our hands.

"The names of the survivors of the Raglan and the Monitor are not yet known, but there are 132 survivors at present reported out of a total of about 310."

Viscount Broome, Commander of the British monitor Raglan, which was sunk in the engagement with the Turkish cruisers Midullu and Sultan Selim (Breslau and Goeben) at the entrance to the Dardanelles, is among those saved, according to The Evening News.

Viscount Broome was chief beneficiary under the will of the late Earl Kitchener, of whom he was a nephew, and is heir to the title.

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ITALIAN SITUATION BETTER

Secretary's Weekly Review Notes Elimination of Danger of a Flanking Operation.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Secretary Baker makes the statement in his weekly review of military operations in Europe, as issued today, that the British and French have greatly strengthened their defensive dispositions in anticipation of the threatened German great drive along the western front.

The best obtainable information indicates that the German General Staff has been making most elaborate preparations for the widely advertised drive against the British, French, and American forces in the hope of winning a smashing victory in the west, counting on the collapse of Russian opposition on the eastern front. The German and Austrian frontiers have been closed to prevent information regarding German plans becoming public, but there have been intimations from neutral capitals that vast numbers of soldiers are passing through Berlin en route to the west.

Secretary Baker says that while the Germans have been busy with this concentration of troops the Allies have reorganized their tactical arrangements, which, in many areas, have been chiefly of an offensive character, and "are now prepared for every eventuality" and "maintaining an expectant attitude."

Secretary Baker remarks that the Italians have launched three successful attacks which have resulted in decided improvement of the defensive line from the lower Piave to the Asiago Plateau.

Allied Defenses Strengthened.

In the course of his review the Secretary says:

"There is little to record in the way of military activity during the last week. On the western front the Allies are maintaining an expectant attitude.

"While the enemy has been busy concentrating his offensive forces, the British and French have greatly strengthened their defensive dispositions, reorganized their tactical arrangements, which in many areas were hitherto chiefly of an offensive character, and are now prepared for every eventuality.

"The recent events in Russia, which have removed from the theatre of active operations over 900 miles of front in the east, the invasion of Italy and the consequent shortening of the battle line in that zone by nearly 150 miles, have resulted in greatly increased strategic freedom for the Central Empires.

"Reviewing the minor operations which took place during the period under examination, it is noticeable that ascendant initiative and alertness is again displayed by the Allies. We find the British and French actively raiding the German lines, driving in outposts and patrols.

"Air raids in hostile territory were numerous, not only in the theatre of operations, where German ammunition dumps in the region of Roulers and railheads and cantonments in Flanders proved good targets, but daylight attacks by aircraft in force were carried out against German cities. The raids on Karlsruhe proved particularly effective.

"In the Italian theatre the successes of the preceding week have been enlarged and extended.

Better Outlook for the Italians.

"The Italians launched successfully along three separate segments of the line a series of formidable assaults, which resulted in a decided advantage for their forces engaged. The first attack was made east of Capo Bile, in the Piave delta, which brought about a material extension of the Italian bridgehead along the lower Piave. The second, in the region between the Monte Tomba and the Monte Solaroio, was a tactical gain of positive value, in that it greatly strengthened the Italian disposition in this area.

"The third and by far the most important undertaking resulted in bringing about a rectification of Italian dispositions in the Monte Asolone sector, which rendered secure trench elements heretofore not devoid of serious weaknesses.

"This last achievement must be looked upon as of essential significance, in that it has removed the menace of the enemy being able to turn the Italian flank in the region of the Monte Grappa.

"The only reaction on the part of the enemy took place in the Piave delta, where the Austrians attempted to regain the ground lost east of Capo Sile. The enemy was driven back without gaining any of his objectives, and suffered severe casualties. It would seem that it is now clear the pressure of the Austrians in this area has been materially lessened."

WILSON SPEECH URGED AS BASIS OF PEACE

Austrian Workers Show Method and Discipline in Pressing Their Demands.

By GEORGE RENWICK.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 21.—The Austrian proletariat has risen and resorted to its most effective arm, the strike. The workers have behaved in the most exemplary fashion. Disorders have been avoided, and absolutely necessary work and traffic have been continued. The strikers' discipline has been practically perfect.

The united front presented by the workers to the Government showed the latter that they had a highly serious situation to deal with. The strong position occupied by the workers and their determination to bring things to a head were demonstrated by the way in which the Government hastily climbed down on numerous points.

Czernin saw that it was advisable early in the day to emphasize in terms of the most direct kind that the Government of the Dual Monarchy stands for a policy of peace without any sort of annexation. To delegations of workers the Ministers swiftly capitulated to labor demands on certain important questions, including even the degree of women's franchise. Seldom, indeed, has any Government climbed down to such an extent.

All that is evidence of the most interesting nature as to the situation and position of the Government, the policy of the proletariat may be summed up in three words—peace, bread, freedom—and the greatest of those is peace.

The workers' deputations have repeatedly told the Ministers that there can be no doubt that the recent speeches of Lloyd George and Wilson have had a great effect in Austria. They also told the Ministers that the proletariat regarded those utterances as setting forth a basis on which a general peace might and should be discussed.

PARIS, Jan. 21.—The Senate met as a high court this afternoon to sit in the case of Louis J. Malvy, former Minister of the Interior, accused of treasonable intercourse with the enemy.

The Senate was called in regular session at 2:15 P. M. None of the Cabinet Ministers was present at that time. Antonin Dubost, the President, announced that he had received a letter from Paul Deschanel, President of the Chamber of Deputies, notifying him of the Chamber's decision to impeach M. Malvy before the high court. President Dubost then proposed that the Senate constitute itself a high court, which action was taken without opposition.

VIENNA CABINET OUT, STRIKE ON FOR PEACE

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successfully arranged, because the monarchy is inspired by no selfish aim."

Strike Spreads to Hungary.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—The general strike in Austria is spreading, and the first object sought by the strikers is peace, according to dispatches received here by way of Holland and Switzerland. The Directing Board of the German Socialist Democracy of Austria conferred with the Food Minister at Vienna, and notified him that "the demand for peace took precedence of all other demands."

The strike is particularly serious in Vienna and Budapest, the whole transport system of the Hungarian capital being tied up.

Responsible Ministers have sought to calm the situation by declarations that Austria stands for peace without annexations or indemnities, and that it does not desire to acquire Russian territory.

These declarations did not satisfy the strikers, who took the position that the ministers did not go far enough in putting into action the principles which they professed.

Definite Peace Stand Demanded.

A Vienna dispatch, under Saturday's date, received in Amsterdam today reads:

"No newspapers appeared today, the only issue being a sheet published by the Arbeiter Zeitung, which contained nothing but announcements regarding the strike and peace developments. At the head of the announcements was one by the Directing Board of the German Socialist Democracy of Austria, making an appeal to the workers of both sexes.

"The appeal set forth that the board had taken cognizance with satisfaction of the declarations regarding peace by Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, and recognized their firmness. The board, however, held it to be necessary that labor should be enlightened concerning the Government's attitude upon the concrete questions which are the subject of the negotiations at Brest-Litovsk.

"This demand and other demands of labor were made the subject of negotiations with the Government. The Food Minister received a large deputation of strikers, the appeal states, and reported to them on the food situation. The delegates had an opportunity frankly to enlighten the Minister concerning the views of labor, and particularly to leave him in no doubt that the demand for peace took precedence of all other demands.

Want War Service Modified.

"Later, on Saturday, the appeal continues, the district executives of all the Vienna districts met to receive the report on the negotiations with the Government. The assemblage resolved to demand the abolition of the provisions of the war service law relating to the rights of workers, and requested the organization of democratic Deputies to continue its efforts to obtain justice for the victims of the unusual conditions.

"It was decided that railway and street car services were to be maintained undisturbed, and that work was to be resumed in all the industries engaged in the manufacture of foodstuffs and wines and in gas and electric plants. The appeal concludes:

"Labor has maintained exemplary discipline in these exciting days. The party board expects that it will calmly await the result of the negotiations with the Government, trusting in its representatives."

The Austrian Socialists have also published a declaration that the workmen will calm down only when the Government can undertake that it will not allow the negotiations at Brest-Litovsk to break down on the territorial question, and that the system of food distribution will be reorganized.

The food situation and the question of peace were the sole subjects of discussion at the sitting of the Budget Committee of the Austrian Chamber of Deputies on Friday. The Socialists, according to dispatches, described the situation as extremely serious, and asserted that peace could not be postponed. Count von Toggenburg, the Minister of the Interior, told the Deputies that Count Czernin and Leon Trotzky, the Russian Foreign Minister, exhibited many similarities, which fact, he added, offered a guarantee that the negotiations at Brest-Litovsk would go well.

Hungary Against Annexations.

In the lower house of the Hungarian Parliament Premier Wekerle, a Budapest dispatch reports, said in reply to a question that the Government adhered to the principle of peace without annexations or indemnities, and that this viewpoint was shared by every organ of the monarchy, above all by the King. The Premier intimated that his questioner should not have touched on the subject of Alsace-Lorraine, saying that his remarks were not calculated to strengthen the Government's position.

"It weakens our peace efforts considerably," the Premier added, "if irresponsible persons demand a speedy conclusion of peace."

ANGRY AT VIENNA ATTACK.

German Press Warns of Austrian Interference as to Buelow.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

THE HAGUE, Jan. 21.—The German press continues very indignant about the Vienna Fremdenblatt's recent attack on Prince von Bülow. Although the Vossische Zeitung now says that the Fremdenblatt's official connection with the Austro-Hungarian Foreign Office was broken off Jan. 1, the Lokal-Anzeiger insists that the article was not the work of the editorial staff. It is somewhat remarkable that the German press comments only now, whereas, according to the Lokal-Anzeiger, the Fremdenblatt's article was published Jan. 12.

The Lokal-Anzeiger asks what is the reason for the bitter attack, remarking that people will obviously think that von Kühlmann has had his hand in it, and that Czernin must have given his consent. The paper protests vehemently against "any interference in German affairs, even from Germany's closest ally."

The Vossische Zeitung also echoes this feeling about interference in Germany's domestic affairs, and while denying the rumor that Bülow is trying to get Kühlmann's place, considers it significant that the Fremdenblatt article appears at the moment when Valentini's position was becoming shaky, adding that Valentini had also considered it his duty recently to attack Bülow's possible candidature.

The paper warns against the danger of cloaking any policy under Austria's desires, as certain politicians have done recently, saying that this would be dangerous for the Central Alliance. In the meantime, a Reichstag member, Herr Heckscher, had made the matter a subject for interpellation in the Reichstag Main Committee.

Count Czernin is now reported ill, although this may be merely diplomatic sickness in order to avoid his promised answer to President Wilson.

Rushes Draft Case Mandates.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—That sentences recently upheld in the draft case convictions might be carried out without delay, the Supreme Court, on the motion of Attorney General Gregory, today ordered mandates returned at once in all except the Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman cases. The mandates for Miss Goldman and Berkman will not be issued until Feb. 21.

HERTLING SPEECH NOW EXPECTED THURSDAY

Three Days' Debate Predicted—Censorship Again Attacked in Reichstag Committee.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 21.—The Zeitung am Mittag of Berlin, a copy of which has been received here, says that Count von Hertling, the Imperial German Chancellor, will deliver his postponed speech to the Reichstag Main Committee next Thursday.

The paper adds that Dr. von Kühlmann, the Foreign Secretary, is conferring with the party leaders and that he will participate in the debate which will follow the Chancellor's speech. The debate is expected to last three days.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 21.—Criticism of the censorship in Germany was revived at a meeting on Friday of the Reichstag Main Committee. Friedrich Ebert, Socialist leader, and Herr von Graefe, Conservative, made sharp speeches.

Herr Ebert said that the annexationists were favored unduly. When General von Udendorff was reported to have threatened to resign unless Germany's terms to the Russians were framed in accordance with the ideas of the militarists, certain newspapers were permitted to print what they pleased, according to Herr Ebert, while others were not.

Mention of the name of Admiral von Tirpitz, Ebert also said, was forbidden in connection with criticism of the submarine campaign. He asserted that the Pan German propaganda against the Reichstag was unparalleled and that the calm replies representing the views of the Reichstag majority were suppressed.

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per pair $7.50, 8.75, 9.50, 10.75, 13.50

All-linen Pillow Cases, hemstitched,
per pair $2.25, 2.65, 3.00, 3.90, 4.50

Huckaback Towels, hemmed,
per dozen . $1.90, 2.25, 3.50, 4.50

Huckaback Towels, hemstitched,
per dozen . $4.00, 5.40, 6.00 to 8.50

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HOUSE SLIPPED AWAY QUIETLY FROM PARIS

His Departure, Like His Activities at the War Council, Was Silent and Efficient.

HAS DISLIKE OF PUBLICITY

And Shuns Speechmaking Unless It Is Necessary—Mrs. House an Able Helper.

By CHARLES H. GRASTY.

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PARIS, Dec. 10.—Of all the mole-like activities of Colonel House the climax was his departure. It took place about 9:30 on the evening of Thursday, Dec. 6.

Only two persons knew the hour set for departure and where the party were going—the Colonel and the naval commander in charge. The latter had laid aside his uniform and donned mufti for the occasion, so as not to excite comment. Both Admirals Benson and Sims had disappeared Wednesday morning and it was supposed that they were getting battle cruisers ready for the voyage.

I doubt if Gordon Auchincloss, son-in-law of Colonel House, himself knew the when and whither of the departure. Perhaps the Colonel had made a quiet bet with himself on his ability to take the party of fifteen or twenty persons out of the most conspicuous setting in Paris without anybody being the wiser, and he went about it as if playing jackstraws.

Personally I was anxious to avoid surprising the Colonel's secret, but I happened to enter the Crillon at the moment when the Colonel's party issued from the suite which they had been occupying. My room was on the floor above, and at the elevator landing there is a gallery which looks out on the hall below. It was in that hall that Colonel House and his family were assembling, preparatory to leaving the hotel. I contented myself with silent wishes for a safe and pleasant voyage, not desiring to be the means of the Colonel's losing his bet. The rest of the mission had vanished by other and separate ways, and no doubt joined the Colonel at a rendezvous previously appointed.

An Atmosphere of Efficiency.

While the Colonel and his associates were on the ground and in action they created an atmosphere of efficiency, and every one in contact with them believed that they were moving toward the goal of co-ordination in detail and unity of control in large matters.

The members of the mission worked on live-wire principles, and the Colonel himself was as busy as a squirrel in nut season. His education has been as an all-around political manager. He does not permit controversial matters to reach the floor of convention, preferring to harmonize differences in the committee room. He accomplished much by these tactics to prevent time killing by oratory and otherwise.

While he was handling the larger aspects of the situation his associates were working night and day with their "opposites" of the other allied countries. What they accomplished was important in itself and still more important in clearing the way for future accomplishments.

Contrary to the general idea, Colonel House is not cold and reserved, but an unusually emotional man. The secret of his sucess is self-discipline. He controls his temper, knows how to wait for things to come about of themselves, and brings to the carrying out of all his schemes a persistency as amiable as it is tenacious

The Colonel has learned in business and politics that it pays to let the other fellow live; that is, instead of stamping all over him and taking his self-respect away from him, he ministers delicately to his vanity. In fact, the Colonel is a shrewd student of human nature, and it is through the use of knowledge on that subject rather than by pure intellect that he wins his successes.

House Not Fond of the Limelight.

I rather imagine that he sees the humorous side of his own importance and activities, and mentally harks back to the good old days in Austin. His rule of life would not permit him to experience the slightest swelling up as the result of the rôle that he is playing. That would spoil the game as he desires to play it.

He practices such simplicity that it amounts almost to affectation. What other men commonly do to push themselves to the front, he studiously avoids. If he can dodge an Ambassadorial dinner, he counts it a point won in his game. "Mrs. House comes along to attend the luncheons and dinners that I am obliged to miss," he said the other day. The Colonel would much prefer dining alone with an old friend and talking about amusing experiences nowadays and old times in Texas.

The other night, referring to a cablegram that we were discussing, he asked me if I expected to send it. I replied in the Southern lingo, "I done sent it." At that a broad smile irradiated his face, and he told the story of an encounter between Old Bill McDonald and Bat Masterson. There was some preliminary proceedings of a hostile character between the two desperadoes, and Bat said to Bill: "Are you trying to pick a row with me?" "I done picked it," replied Bill, his pistol leveled at Bat about three paces away.

Colonel House has always been ostentatious in avoidance of oratory. In fact, if he should get on his feet without a manuscript in his hand his tongue would probably cleave to the roof of his mouth. He dodged the spectacular meeting in the Cabinet Room at 10 Downing Street, probably because he thought that it would be incumbent upon him, if present, to act as Lloyd George's oratorical "opposite."

In Paris, however, the time came when a speech was required of him by the proprieties. The occasion was the final meeting of the conference. He had the speech, typewritten, in his pocket, and he must have delivered it with some effort at declamation, for when he walked into the Hotel de Crillon with Mr. Auchincloss, the latter remarked: "The Colonel has at last broken into the orator class," whereat the Colonel blushed.

Colonel House occupied the rooms in the Crillon known as the Thomas F. Ryan suite. It is in these rooms that the New Yorker always lives when in Paris. Adjoining is a smaller suite, which was assigned to Premier Lloyd George. From the Prime Minister's privacy every one was rigidly excluded, even his private secretary sitting in the outside hall. Contrariwise, Colonel House's reception rooms were overrun with visitors of all kinds, including representatives of the press. The latter got little except courtesy. The Colonel received his company in an inner reception room, well guarded by secretaries. Mr. Auchincloss was the head of the secretarial staff, and the Colonel leans on him. Like his father-in-law, he does not take himself too seriously, and sees the humor in everything.

Mrs. House went along with the mission quietly and helpfully. She is never in the way, although Colonel House takes her everywhere with him. On the journey to the American camp, not only Mrs. House, but Mrs. and Miss Sharpe, as well as the Colonel's secretary, Miss Denman, were in the party. While at American Headquarters an officer came up with a spiked helmet, left by a German officer on the battlefield of the Marne, and presented it to Mrs. House.

At the Crillon, as at other hotels, employment is given to wounded soldiers. One of those whose business it is to stand in front and open carriage doors has a pleasing personality and wears on his breast several military medals won in the trenches.

One day when Mrs. House came out she noticed the decorations on this man, now serving in a humble capacity, and immediately stopped and came to salute in front of him. He returned the salute, and the two stood facing each other for a few seconds before Mrs. House entered her car.

COLONEL'S PART IN FUSION.

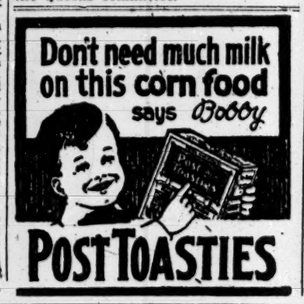
Ellis Parker Butler Says Colonel Was Strong with Germans.

Ellis Parker Butler, an author, of Flushing, L. I., who was Treasurer of the Mitchel Campaign Committee in Queens, told yesterday at the District Attorney's investigation of the fusion campaign fund of an appeal they had made to Colonel Roosevelt to aid in the Queens campaign. Assistant District Attorney E. P. Kilroe wanted to know the purpose of three telegrams sent to the Colonel at Oyster Bay which he had found charged under the list of expenditures.

"We had an idea that Roosevelt would have a very strong effect on the Germans throughout the borough," replied Mr. Butler. "They think a great deal of him. We got him to speak. He spoke at Astoria and had a very good meeting—crowded. But he would only make that one speech."

Aside from his work at the political headquarters Mr. Butler wrote two pamphlets for the Fusion campaign—one for the Mitchel ticket generally, which had to do with informing the public about the human side of reforms in the administration of the Department of Charities and was entitled "Kids Is Kids," he said. The title and the data were supplied to him by Deputy Commissioner Doherty of the Department of Charities and was based on work of the Welfare Committee. Mr. Butler declared he had not asked for nor had he received a cent for his literary work in the campaign. His only compensation from Fusion funds amounted to $350, for his services at the political headquarters.

George W. Morris of Jamaica, L. I., a Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue, testified he had expended $200 of his personal funds in aiding Mitchel's campaign, and that he had been repaid by the Queens committee.



JEWISH WOMEN ORGANIZE.

New Body to be Affiliated with the United Synagogue.

At the second day's session of the United Synagogue Conference at the Jewish Theological Seminary yesterday 125 women representing the orthodox and conservative Jewish communities throughout the country decided on plans for a union of Jewish women in this country and Canada. Among the activities of the body will be publication of text books, study of the problem of religious training for adolescents, the establishment of kosher restaurants in cities and college communities, and the guiding of cultural activities among Jewish women and in religious and educational institutions. The new organization is to affiliate and co-operate with the United Synagogue of America.

These officers were elected: President, Mrs. Solomon Schechter; Secretary, Mrs. Jacob Minkin; Treasurer, Mrs. Cyrus Adler; Executive Board, Mrs. Sarah Kusay, Mrs. Samuel Lamport, Mrs. Samuel Hayman, Mrs. P. Mendes, Mrs. Jacob Kohn, Mrs. Michael Falet, Mrs. H. P. Kanvar, Mrs. H. H. Reuben, Mrs. Edwin Romberg, Mrs. A. M Hushman, Mrs. H. Friedenwald, and Mrs. B. Friedenwald.

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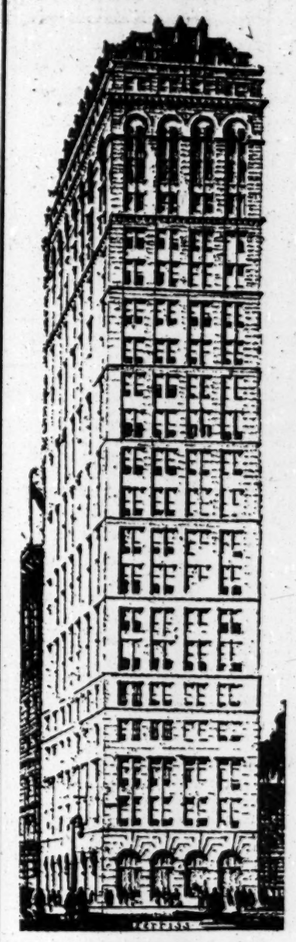

is strictly an office building. That seems a very simple announcement, and yet it means a great deal to firms now located in buildings *not strictly* office buildings.

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The Dresses

Are in Printed Foulards, Crepes and Indestructible Voiles, Georgette, Laces, Nets and Taffetas, in charming colorings; some are plain tailored, others elaborately beaded or trimmed with soutache braid.

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Features the most favored styles adapted by Paris and New York Modistes for sports, afternoon and evening wear.

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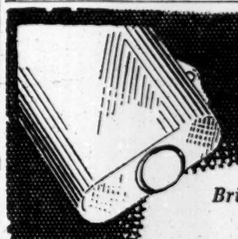

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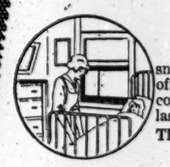

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Commander of Aeronautics Division Orders Tests for Special Aviation Work.

WANTS ENGINEER EXPERTS

Successful Men Will Get Commissions and Be Sent to Columbia University for Training.

That plans for greatly increasing the strength of the naval aviation service are about to be put in operation is shown by an order received yesterday by Commander Charles A. Adams, U. S. N., in charge of naval aeronautics in the Third Naval District, the headquarters of which are the Brooklyn Navy Yard. The communication received by Commander Adams was from Rear Admiral Leigh Palmer, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation in Washington, and read as follows:

Officers from the department will within a short time report to you for the purpose of making a selection from the personnel of your district of men to equip for special work in connection with aviation as follows:

Experienced engineers for engineer officers at the various naval air stations. These men will be commissioned in Class 5 and sent to Columbia University for further engineering training, and thence to the Packard Motor Company, Detroit, for special instruction on Liberty engines.

Experienced gasoline engine men for further instruction at Columbia University, and special instruction at Packard Motor Company on Liberty engines. These men will get ratings in Class 5 in accordance with their qualifications.

Graduate mechanical engineers and men of experience along engineering lines for special duty in Bureau of Steam Engineering and in connection with work of this bureau at various places. Such men will be commissioned immediately in Class 5.

Aeronautical and other gasoline engine draftsmen for work in the Bureau of Steam Engineering. Ratings of chief petty officer and petty officer in Class 5, in accordance with their qualifications, will be given to these men.

Men who have had experience in compressed gases, especially hydrogen. A limited number of these men will get commissions in Class 5, and others ratings in Class 5. These men will be used in connection with hydrogen generation for lighter-than-air craft.

Mechanical engineers for special work under the Bureau of Construction and Repair. It is not anticipated that men of previous suitable aeronautical experience will be found, but it is desired to select the best material available and give further training to them. Those suitable will be commissioned in Class 5.

Mechanical draftsmen for duty in Bureau of Construction and Repair on aviation work. These men will get special aeronautical training, as needed. They will be rated as chief petty officer and petty officer in Class 5.

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The time and the place where the examinations will be held will be announced within a few days.

WILLARD READY TO SERVE.

Willing to Run Locomotive if That Would Help Nation Most.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 21.—Daniel Willard, President of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, who has just resigned as Chairman of the War Industries Board, said today:

"If I thought that I could be of greater service to my country by running a locomotive attached to freight trains over the Baltimore & Ohio system than by doing what I am doing today, I would assume the new task without hesitancy. I can run a locomotive, for I was an engineer long before I became President of the Baltimore & Ohio. It is my desire to follow the line of activity that will produce the best results for my country in the midst of the supreme struggle in which it is now engaged.

"I told President Wilson that I thought my services would be more valuable in Baltimore in charge of the Baltimore & Ohio property. It seems to me that I was needed more at home than in Washington. The President left me free to take steps that I thought would enable me to render the more valuable service.

"Therefore, I am returning to the Baltimore & Ohio, believing that my efforts can be better directed in more useful channels.

"Over 2,000 of our men have joined the colors, and it was right that they should do so. Of course, this left us short of men. Our officers have been working night and day. They are overworked; some of them have been ill. Facing such conditions, I just could not help feeling that it was my duty to come back and devote my whole time to the railroad property.

"I consider the transportation lines of the United States as important a line of communication between this country and our soldiers at the front as the French railroads. Our men in the trenches in France are depending on us for the munitions and supplies that are necessary if they are to win this great war. It is essential that the supplies be kept moving from the great factory centres to the ports where they can be loaded on vessels and transported across the Atlantic.

"I have a boy at the front in France. I do not know what is going to happen to that boy before this war is over. But I do want to say that if all I am called upon to experience while my son and the sons of other parents are at the battlefront is a little inconvenience to myself that might arise through compliance with some Government order, I will be delighted. This is no time for thinking of ourselves and slight interferences with our daily lives."

REBUKES PRUSSIAN SNEER AT OUR ARMY

Socialist Asks Minister Why We Can't Get Troops Over if Canada Could.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 21.—In the lower House of the Prussian Diet on Saturday Dr. Franz Mehring, Independent Socialist, made the following inquiry:

"If Canada, with less than 9,000,000 inhabitants, has been able to throw a quarter of a million soldiers into Europe, who were not able to fly or swim, what grounds has the Finance Minister for denying to the United States, with 110,000,000 inhabitants, any military capacity?"

Dr. Mehring proceeded to reprove the Prussian Finance Minister, Dr. Hertz, for such contempt as expressed in a recent speech, which, he said, was likely to bring heavy penalties in its train, especially if coupled with empty threats.

The Minister, replying, admitted that he was unable to prove his statement concerning the American Army, but was still convinced that it could not come over.

An Amsterdam dispatch last Friday quoted the Prussian Finance Minister as saying in a speech to the Diet:

"The mouths of our enemies are now filled with big talk. We see how they are calling for a big army from across the Atlantic. But this neither can swim nor fly. It will not come. Our enemies will be obliged to bow to us."

Public Lecture on "Ships and Ports"

To inform the public of the shipping required of the United States by the Allies and of present conditions in this country, a new series of lectures on "Ships and Ports," is to open under the auspices of the Public Lecture Bureau of the Board of Education tonight in the auditorium of Public School 27, 215 East Forty-first Street. Professor Roy S. Macelwee of Columbia University will be the lecturer.

CITY TURNED TO GAS IN FUEL EMERGENCY

Consolidated Company Reports Unprecedented Consumption —Costs Are Increasing.

The Consolidated Gas Company shows in its annual report the extraordinary degree to which the low temperatures of December expanded the consumption of gas as fuel. The output of gas in the last three days of the month aggregated 460,618,000 cubic feet, an increase over the same days in 1916 of 134,297,000 cubic feet, or 41 per cent. The maximum output of the month, 155,006,000 cubic feet on Dec. 31, exceeded the previous high record for a single day's production by 29,858,000 cubic feet, or 23.8 per cent. The increase alone, says the report, was equal to the entire manufacturing capacity of the largest plant in the system outside of the works at Astoria with a daily capacity of 40,000,000 cubic feet.

The heavy expansion in consumption of gas and record sales of gas-burning appliances were not reflected in the company's statement of earnings, the gross income for 1917 of $9,234,280 being $918,334 less than the year before. Of the total, $5,538,279 came from the Consolidated Gas Company's direct operations, and $6,695,857 was the return from investments, chiefly in securities of subsidiary corporations. The net income of $7,741,077 was equal to $7.75 a share of stock, compared with $8.52 a share in 1916. The surplus after dividends werep aid amounted to $453,922, compared with $1,667,399 in the preceding year.

President George B. Cortelyou, in his remarks to shareholders, was not especially cheerful over the future outlook.

"The effect of the war upon the cost of producing and distributing gas and electrical energy," said he, "has already been disastrous, and will be much greater during the present year than in 1917. It is estimated that the increase on gas oil alone, approximately 1½ cents a gallon, will add $1,580,000 to the gas manufacturing cost of the company and its affiliated companies. The price of boiler coal used in generating electricity increased 59.2 per cent., and of anthracite and bituminous coal used in gas manufacture 11.3 per cent. The price of gas oil increased 66.2 per cent., and has increased again this year over 30 per cent. The increase in the prices of these items alone added $4,580,600 to the cost during 1917 of manufacturing gas and electricity."

Counting in labor, Mr. Cortelyou said the gas company's costs last year increased $0,836,008 over 1916. Total sales of gas during the twelve months increased 595,837,500 cubic feet, or 8.06 per cent. over the record for the preceding year, the expansion in the borough of the Bronx being especially noteworthy. The sale of electric current increased 11.3 per cent.

The Government is now making every preparation," Mr. Cortelyou added, "to recover toluol for the making of explosives from the gas manufactured by the Consolidated Gas Company and its affiliated gas companies. While such recovery will somewhat impair the illuminating quality of the gas, its value for heating purposes and for utilization in incandescent mantle burners will be rather improved than otherwise. It is expected that by the time the Government is ready to proceed with the recovery of toluol the candle-power standard, which has been virtually abandoned throughout the world, will be repealed and such calorific standard substituted as will permit the recovery of all the toluol contained in the gas."

SINK 3 SHIPS IN CONVOY.

One of Lost Freighters Is American —Attacked Near Spanish Coast.

An American freighter and two other large freighters were sunk near the Spanish coast recently when a number of freighters under convoy were attacked by a submarine, it was reported in shipping circles in this city yesterday. The names of the ships were not given.

The submarine lay in wait near a lighthouse, it was stated, and torpedoed the ships when they became visible as they entered the illuminated waters.

GO TO PALESTINE TO START JEWISH NATION

Zionist Mission to be Followed There by Staff of Technical Experts.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—At a Zionist meeting today it was announced that Great Britain would in a few weeks allow a Jewish commission to go to Palestine to prepare for the establishment of a Jewish nation. The commission will be followed by a staff of technical experts, engineers, architects, agriculturists, and town planners.

It is not the intention of the Zionist mission to create in Palestine a group of international financiers to exploit the country and the Arab proletariat, but to place on land, which will be purchased, the Jewish proletariat, who, it is hoped, will work in harmony with the Arabs.

CHINESE SHOT KILLS AMERICAN ON GUNBOAT

Warship Attacked on the Yang-Tse-Kiang—Seaman Dead, Two Others Wounded.

PEKING, Jan. 18.—The American gunboat Monacacy was fired upon by the Chinese fifty miles above Yoochow, on the Yang-Tse-Kiang, yesterday. A sailor named O'Brien was killed and two other sailors were wounded.

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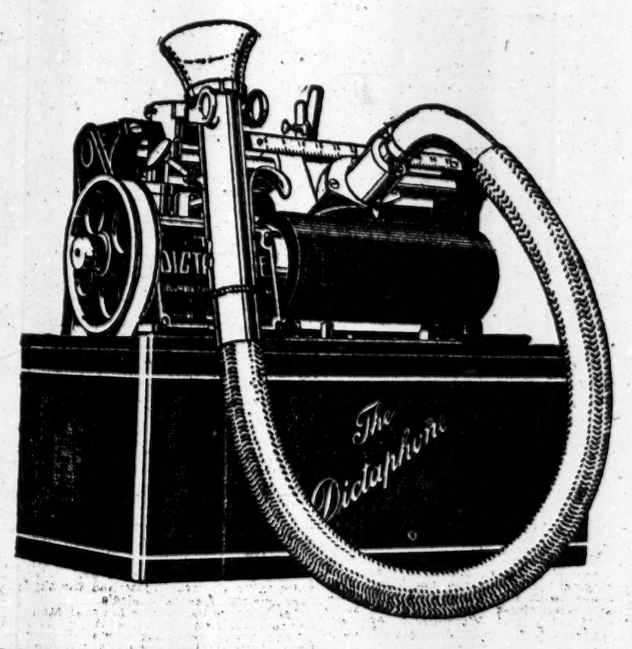

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Genesis.....George Gaul
Joe Bullitt.....Morgan Farley
Mr. Parcher.....Eugene Stockdale
George Crooper.....Paul Kelly
Ethel Boke.....Agnes Horton
Wallie Banks.....Arthur Wells
Mary Brooks.....Henrietta McDannel

It is the delight of Booth Tarkington's "Seventeen" that, being much less than "a novel," it is infinitely more—a work of exquisite human sympathy and delicious humor. The stage version of it which Stuart Walker produced at the Booth is necessarily even more sketchy and slight, but in spirit it is true to its original. Seldom have the scissors of the dramatizer been used with greater skill and discretion. For the most part the lines are quite as amusing as in the printed page, and at times they take on an irresistibly comic power. Throughout, the audience last night was in a breeze of good humor, and the production gives every promise of continuing to amuse.

It is the tragedy of William Sylvanus Baxter that he has ceased to be sixteen and is not yet eighteen. In other years of this mortal span the genus homo lives in some definite age. Baby, child, boy, youth and grown-up are definite phenomena. The world knows them well and has learned how to put up with them. Seventeen is not an age, it is a disease. In its turbulent bosom the leavings of a boy are at war with the beginnings of a man.

In his heart William Baxter knows all the tortures and delights of love; he is capable of any of the heroisms of his heroic sex. But he is still sent on errands of the most humiliating nature by his mother, and he still depends upon his father for the last nickel of spending money, the use of which he must justify before he gets it. In his heart William Sylvanus is Sydney Carton, but to the world he is Silly Bill.

When he falls in love, as he inevitably does, it is a tragedy to him, but to those who witness his tortures and contortions it is sheer comedy—that is, if they have the seeing eye and a responsive heart. Mr. Tarkington has such an eye, such a heart; and it is a work of very positive genius that he has enabled us to share the use of them.

Silly Bill fell in love with Lola, the Baby-Talk Lady, who was a vapid if amiable little flirt. To woo her in a manner worthy of himself, (and incidentally of her,) he stole his father's evening clothes. When his woolings became a nuisance to the neighborhood, his mother stole them back, and had them let out to fit the middle-age form of her husband, thereby keeping William at home in the evening.

But when it came to the Baby-Talk Lady's good-bye dance, not to be present was unendurable, the defeat of a lifetime. How William Sylvanus again got the dress suit, and how as he was wearing it at the party the negro servant Genesis disclosed the fact that the proud garment was in reality his father's, makes up the sole plot of this drama. There are possibly ages at which a man may be tailor-made. At 17 a dress suit is a man's unmaking.

Gregory Kelly is an admirable William—lean, romantic, and intense, with a comedy method perfected far beyond his apparent years. His slightest accent, the single batting of his eyelid registers high comedy. Ruth Gordon makes a very charming Lola, investing even her baby talk with alluring grace. As Jane—it should perhaps have been noted that the chief scourge of seventeen is Little Sister—as Jane, the Little Sister, Lillian Ross is uncompromisingly hideous and insistently excruciatingly funny.

Yes, we can laugh at the grandiose futility of Silly Bill. That is our revenge for being twice or thrice seventeen. Revenge, and also salvation. For Mr. Tarkington's kindly divining touch makes one feel that to be seventeen again, and in love with a Baby-Talk Lady, one would endure a eugenic household of Janes.

DISCUSS LABOR AND WAR.

Employers Plan Work for Blind and Crippled Soldiers.

The Executives' Club, composed of fifty representatives of the largest employers of labor in New York and vicinity, employing 200,000 workers, met last night at the Cornell Club, 65 Park Avenue, and discussed the problems resulting from changed conditions in industry due to the war.

The method of developing work suited to blind and crippled soldiers was one of the points of discussion, and it appeared that the Crocker-Wheeler Company, manufacturers of electrical instruments, had been conducting experiments along this line which had been successful. It was said that the Crocker-Wheeler Company had developed this line of work to such a degree that some of the blind employes doing piecework were earning higher wages than pieceworkers who were not thus handicapped.

The French Government, it was reported, had requested the electrical company to send to France two of its instructors in order that the methods might be used in the French institutions maintained for blind soldiers.

Meyer Bloomfield, employment manager of the Emergency Ship Corporation, asked the employers to lend skilled labor to the Government shipyards. He spoke at some length of the pressing need of skilled labor in the shipyards of the country.

Informal reports were made by several members as to the results attained through the replacement of men in industry by women. Emphasis was laid on the fact that where women are employed, general working conditions ought to be made as attractive as possible.

Among the concerns represented were the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, the Crocker-Wheeler Company, the American Sugar Refining Company, the Loose-Wiles Biscuit Company, the Kohler & Campbell Piano Company, the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, the New York Edison Company, the Aetna Explosives Company, and the Winchester Arms Company.

FEDERAL REFINERY REOPENS

Company Says Sugar Situation Will Soon Be Normal.

The Federal Sugar Refinery in Yonkers, which shut down because of the shortage of raw material, announced yesterday that it would resume operations. The firm stated that the sugar condition continued to improve, and that by the middle of February the situation would be normal. The company issued this statement:

"Several of the sugar refineries are already in part operation, and the Federal Sugar Refining Company expects to resume meltings at its refinery in Yonkers this week. Raw sugar supplies are expected daily at the plant, which has a capacity of 10,000 barrels of granulated a day, and there is sufficient coal on hand for current needs. As a food producer it is exempt from the Monday closing ruling, and will turn out refined sugar as rapidly as possible on the basis of its allotments of raws.

"There has been some delay because of the frozen condition of the Hudson River at Yonkers. The city has no ice breaker, and the Federal Company has found it necessary to engage the services of a sealing vessel formerly operating in the arctic regions to break a channel to its docks, the local steamers being unable to accomplish the desired results. Once the channel is made it will be a routine matter to keep it open."

PHILHARMONIC BARS GERMAN COMPOSERS

No More Music of 'Living,' but 'Old Masters' Retained—American Replaces Strauss.

The Philharmonic Society announced last night that no more music by living German composers will be performed at the society's concerts in New York or elsewhere for the duration of the war. Conductor Stransky, whose programs had been carefully planned to represent all nations impartially, even before America was actively engaged on the side of the Allies, agreed to this decision.

Under the Directors' rule the first work to be barred will be Richard Strauss's "Till Eulenspiegel's Merry Pranks," on the programs for Thursday and Friday of this week. In its place, Secretary Leiffels said last night, the orchestra will play an American symphonic work, "Hamlet and Ophelia," by the late Edward MacDowell.

As the Philharmonic has just concluded a Beethoven-Brahms festival, and is to give next Saturday a program of Bach and Wagner, it was explained that the Directors had decided to adopt the procedure followed in England and France since the war, whereby these "old masters" of music are not made to suffer for the acts of their countrymen today.

The action of the Philharmonic Board followed the recent resignation of President Oswald Garrison Villard of The Evening Post and the renewed offer of resignation by Treasurer Rudolph E. F. Flinsch. Neither has yet been accepted by the board. Mr. Leiffels said last night that Conductor Stransky, who came here from Austria, is a Czecho-Slav, whose compatriots are, with the Allies, and that he has taken out first papers to become a citizen of the United States.

MOLLIE KING AT THE PALACE

Holiday Audience Also Enjoys the Kosloff Russian Dancers.

Mollie King, sister to Nellie and Charlie of the same name, came back from the films to the vaudeville stage at the Palace yesterday afternoon, and was warmly greeted by a holiday audience of the overflow variety. Miss King is pretty, vivacious, and reasonably entertaining. Her greatest asset is her dancing, of which there is too little; her voice has not improved during her sojourn in the pictures, and her imitations never can hope to gain her any great reputation with audiences accustomed to the mimicry of Elsie Janis.

Theodore Kosloff and associates contribute half an hour of good Russian dancing, and the comedy end of the program is well taken care of by Joe Jackson and Franklyn Ardell, both presenting their familiar specialties. The bill also includes Stella Mayhew, bereft of her partner-husband, and exhibiting a service flag to account for his absence.

MAX ROSEN PLAYS AGAIN.

Boy Violinist Displays Anew Deep Feeling for Beauty of Tone.

Max Rosen, the young violinist from New York's east side, for whose training abroad E. J. De Coppet paid $6,000 to send him to the Russian teacher of Elman, Zimbalist, and Heifetz, made his second appearance here and his first in solo recital since his prodigy days—he is but 18 years old now—before a large audience at Carnegie Hall last evening.

Mr. Rosen faced a more difficult task without an orchestra's support; he played with Richard Epstein's piano accompaniment a concerto of Dvorak, showing again a deep feeling for beauty of tone, that became blurred in passages of technical display. There was singing melody in the old Vitali chaconne, with Frank Seely at the organ, and later pieces from Beethoven, some of Sinding and Wieniawski, and arrangements for violin by Leopold Auer.

CHICAGO OPERA OUT $50,000

But Company Still Has Six Weeks —Guarantors Satisfied.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—The deficit of the Chicago opera this season will be in excess of $50,000, which was the total loss of the 1916-17 season. But the guarantors are apparently satisfied. The Campanini organization still has six more weeks in which it will appear in New York and Boston, but it is not expected that this will reduce the deficit.

Max Pam, one of the guarantors and in close touch with the opera office, today confirmed the fact of a deficit.

"The season is not yet closed," he said. "Until Mr. Campanini returns with his assembly we cannot know definitely the total."

Mr. Pam declared that the opera guarantors are willing to pay any deficit.

Alan Dale's Play Here Next Monday.

Alan Dale's play, "The Madonna of the Future," is announced to open at the Broadhurst Theatre next Monday night. Emily Stevens will be starred in the piece, and the supporting cast will include Jerome Patrick and Teresa Maxwell-Conover. "Lord and Lady Algy," now at the Broadhurst, will be sent on tour.

32 Jailed for Holiday Absence.

AYER, Mass., Jan. 21.—Thirteen noncommissioned officers of Company B, 303d Machine Gun Battalion, were reduced to the ranks and sentenced to hard labor for terms varying from two to six months for being absent without leave at Christmas, in court-martial findings announced at Camp Devens today. Nineteen other members of the company, found guilty on the same charge, were also sentenced. All are from Hartford, Conn.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

"The Naughty Wife" will end its engagement at the Harris Theatre on Saturday night, and "Success," a melodramatic comedy by Adeline Leitzbach and Theodore Liebler, Jr., will be produced there next Monday. The cast of "Success" will be headed by Brandon Tynan, and will include Jess Dandy, Helen Holmes, Marion Coakley, and Lionel Glenister.

"Experience," George V. Hobart's morality drama, last night began another engagement at the Manhattan Opera House. It will remain for three weeks.

The opening of "Les Freres Karamazov," originally announced for tonight at the Vieux Colombier, will take place tomorrow night. It will be given for the balance of the week, except on Friday night, when "La Nouvelle Idole" will be played.

"Yes or No," after an engagement of several weeks at the Forty-eighth Street Theatre, was transferred last night to the Longacre. The Forty-eighth Street is at present dark.

THEATRES CROWDED ONLY AT MATINEES

Managers Find Evening Audiences No Larger Than Heretofore.

ALL WILL BE DARK TODAY

Opera, Not Now Disturbed by Garfield Order, Attracts Great Attendance.

Patronage at the theatres on the first of the Monday holidays did much to justify the contentions of the managers that places of amusement should be permitted to remain open on Mondays and to close on Tuesdays instead. The surprise of the day was the attendance at the matinées. Performances were given as usual in all the vaudeville, motion-picture, and burlesque houses, and in seven legitimate theatres. In a majority of cases the houses were sold out before 2 o'clock, and in many theatres there were three or four rows of standees.

The expected big attendance at the evening performances, however, did not materialize. With a few exceptions, the attendance was only a little larger than has been customary in the past on Mondays, a night which is invariably the poorest of the week from a box office standpoint. It was generally estimated by managers, however, that the Tuesday closing order will benefit the theatres financially, rather than hurt them, even though the Monday night business remains the same, because the Monday matinée attendance, based on yesterday's showing, will be greater than the amount usually taken in on Tuesdays. Beginning next week, it is expected, Monday matinées will be given regularly at all houses.

The decision of the United Managers Protective Association to forego extra matinees this week, which threatened on Sunday to disrupt the organization, was the subject of a statement issued yesterday by Marc Klaw, President of the association. Replying to the, managers who charged that the action taken had been "highhanded," Mr. Klaw said:

"There was nothing high-handed about the resolution. As amended by a gentleman representing the burlesque interests, it read that it was the sense of the meeting, as a mark of respect for the five-day limit originally set by Dr. Garfield, that we do not take advantage of this privilege of an extra performance until next Monday. Now, there is nothing mandatory about that and nothing compulsory, as I stated from the chair. Ample time was given for discussion, and when the vote was put it was unanimously carried. It is just like old days of not voting and then criticising those who do."

In conformity with the Fuel Administrator's order, theatres, motion picture houses, and amusement places of all sorts will be closed today.

Florence Easton sang the title part in "Lodoletta" at the Metropolitan last evening, when Mascagni's new opera was heard a second time, with Caruso, Amato, and others of the original cast, except Mme. Farrar, who was indisposed. Miss Easton, who had shown herself an artist in three previous rôles, and in one last of them had proved a star by the exacting standards of New York, was heard with many manifestations of pleasure in the Little Skylark's gay scenes with Dutch village children and a pathetic death in Paris in her wooden shoes. Her voice in its upward flights had the skylark quality, free as a bird's.

The Metropolitan's time-honored Monday subscription, including the owners of the house, who had come so near losing their favorite opera night to the rest of this season under the Government's theatre closing rules, turned out in mass to welcome the present order which leaves the New York series undisturbed. Today's usual trip of the singing company to Philadelphia was affected, however, and a performance of "Traviata" with Hempel, Carpi, and Scotti had to be canceled. It was hoped to make up some of the abandoned Tuesdays by other special performances later on, both there and in Brooklyn.

SERBIANS END THEIR VISIT.

Members of the Mission Make an Inspection of West Point.

The official visit to New York of the Serbian war mission ended yesterday with a visit of inspection to West Point. Last night the members of the mission dined informally with Colonel C. A. Severance, head of the Red Cross Mission which visited their country.

Dr. Milenko Vesnich, head of the mission, and the Serbian Minister went to Washington late last night in order that the former might say farewell to President Wilson and the members of his Cabinet. The distinguished visitors will spend several days in the city as private persons, during which time they have many social and business engagements.

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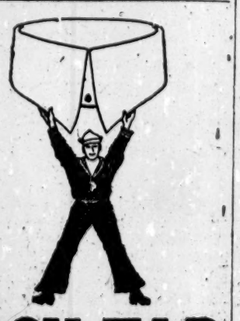

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THE CRISIS IN OUR PREPARATIONS FOR WAR.

With the introduction of the War Cabinet bill by Senator CHAMBERLAIN of Oregon in the shadow of executive disapproval a crisis has come in our preparations for war. We are still, and shall be for a long time, preparing to take our place in the line with our hard-pressed allies. In fact, until the end of the struggle the Government will be engaged with the conduct of military operations and with the training and equipment of troops and the upkeep of the navy. It will be a gigantic undertaking, with which no single man has the strength to cope. There are no precedents in our history to guide the Government; there is no experience to draw upon.

It is the part of wisdom, therefore, to profit by the mistakes of our allies, who after more than three years of war have an organization and a policy which should at least serve as an example. Perhaps the United States can improve upon it; certainly it should not be disregarded, unless the machinery we are using is properly adjusted to assure co-operation with our allies with the least possible delay. But if that is plainly not the case, then the parts should be reassembled to give us the war machine and the direction of it that are indispensable and imperative.

Unfortunately, there is too much evidence in the record that things are not going well at Washington; that, in fact, we are muddling along with old forms, methods, and procedure that are obsolete, when no time is to be lost, not a day or an hour, in planning right and executing swiftly. If we fail our allies in 1918, we may have got into the war too late. The question has been on the lips of a great many anxious men, and more and more of late, as the Senate Military Affairs Committee has pursued its inquiry into the preparations made by the Government to arm and equip and clothe and transport our troops overseas. Woe betide any man who assumes the responsibility of belittling the mistakes that have been made and of opposing reform and reorganization from partisan motives or for reasons personal to himself.

Of one thing there is no doubt: The people stand behind the demand in Congress for changes and a new order, as reflected in the bills for a War Cabinet and for a Director of Munitions, because they have lost faith in the management of the War Department and want more action and less official complacency in the conduct of the war. It cannot be won without vision, direct methods, the hardest kind of co-ordinated work, and supervision without costly omissions and blundering. The desire for a War Cabinet is based upon the conviction that the present organization by councils and committees and the present direction of affairs by departments that either have no authority or will not exercise their authority have broken down under the strain and must be replaced. The desire for a Director of Munitions is the natural sequel to the disclosures that the Ordnance and Quartermaster's Departments have failed conspicuously to equip the army and are months behind in their work.

The War Cabinet bill proposes to create what does not now exist, a body with authority to give its whole attention to the conduct of the war. At present there is no one who does that, not even the President, for it is physically impossible for him to do more, overwhelmed as he is by manifold executive duties, than approve the plans of others or suggest changes in them. Senator CHAMBERLAIN'S bill gives the President the power to review and revise the labors of the War Cabinet and to exercise through it the powers conferred upon him by the Constitution. Mr. WILSON would still be supreme and dominant, Commander in Chief as well as President. The Chamberlain proposal would assure both co-ordination and the direction needed in the conduct of the war. Mr. WILSON would have the power to appoint the three members of the War Cabinet. It should simply be a question with him whether by calling to his side, irrespective of party, three "distinguished citizens of demonstrated ability," he would not obtain the assistance and counsel which are now so obviously lacking.

The people entertain no doubt on the subject, and Mr. WILSON would be wise, in this critical moment of the fortunes of the country and his own career as a statesman and leader, to silence those who say that it is his purpose to fight the War Cabinet bill "to a finish."

GOOD WILL COME OF IT.

For the comfort of our friends abroad who may be disturbed in mind by the sharp differences between the Executive and the Legislative departments of the Federal Government, let us hasten to say that the more we fight at Washington the better we shall fight in France. Ours is not a Government that "falls." To a speech or vote of want of confidence it replies with a statement. It may reply with a trumpet-blast of defiance; it may wave criticism aside, demur, deny, and set up the defense of due and perfect performance. But with whatever warmth of language this Administration or any other may publicly repel attacks, it will in private diligently profit by them and mightily stir itself to make amends for past shortcomings.

The President errs grievously when he says that "nothing helpful or likely to speed the war tasks of the Government has come out of such criticism and investigation." Great and visible good has come from them, all the people have seen how officials have responded to the spur of criticism, how under exposure they have got to work briskly to make good their laches. Imagination shrinks from contemplating the pitiable state in which we should have found ourselves if the public, lulled into a trustful sleep by the assumption of all the virtues at Washington, had not kept a watchful eye upon the doings of its servants.

The President regards the Secretary of War as "one of the ablest public officials" he has ever known. We fear his acquaintance in official circles has been limited. The people of the United States do not place the Secretary quite so high. And the people, the President will permit us to say with all respect, are by a much more full and exact knowledge of Mr. BAKER'S work much better qualified to judge him. A multitude of witnesses, eye witnesses of his shortcomings, men who have tried to work with him, through him, to get things done in or by the department, men who have known by personal observation the deplorable conditions in the camps have told the people about the Secretary of War. The President has no such sources of information. It is, indeed, one of the defects of his great qualities that he does not turn an inviting ear to criticism of officers or policies of his Administration when his mind is already made up.

Nor is the President well advised in dismissing Senator CHAMBERLAIN'S statement as "an absolutely unjustifiable distortion of the truth"; and certainly he might better have omitted the imputation of motive with which he concludes his statement. The people know the service they have had from Senator CHAMBERLAIN, they know the spirit in which that service has been given. Besides, they know only too well what ground the Senator had for charging that the war service had fallen down.

But aroused as he may now be by the sting of criticism, Mr. WILSON is going to profit by it. He would be a very unwise President if he did not.

SOVIET GOVERNMENT IN RUSSIA.

In the Constituent Assembly farce staged at Petrograd, the whole cast, Bolsheviki and Social Revolutionaries, even the Cadets, played true to form and character. Nobody supposed that LENINE would permit, the newly elected representatives of the Russian people to meet and make a Constitution, unless a majority of the Assembly was Bolshevist; the majority being the other way, of course LENINE decrees that the Assembly is dissolved. Nor did anybody suppose that the delegates to the Assembly would pluck up courage enough to resist the Bolsheviki and their armed Red Guards. The expected happened, and promptly, it was all over in a night. The Soviets continue to be the Government of Russia, and Russia will have no Constitution unless it is made by men of their choosing.

In lands like England and the United States, where the people rule, it has for some centuries been felt that bayonets in the legislative chamber were out of place. The blood of a free people may not actually boil in their veins when soldiers drive the lawmakers from their seats, but no other misuse of a lawlessly usurped authority produces quite the same feeling of patriotic indignation. The men of the railway unions in Russia have protested against the acts of the Bolsheviki, but we have not yet been informed that the people are very much excited about it. Nor are we in this country as deeply stirred as we should be if this thing had happened, let us say, in the House of Commons or in the French Chamber of Deputies. Everybody is "more than usual calm" because it was nowhere expected that the Social Revolutionaries would be able to set up and maintain a capable Government in Russia. They are not so extreme as the Bolsheviki, not so radical, not half so wild, but they, too, are deluded victims of the cult of socialism and from them there was not much to be expected save, very likely, a separate peace with Germany.

In LENINE'S decree of dissolution he declares that the delegates to the Constituent Assembly, having been elected prior to the Soviet revolution in October, in November according to our reckoning, were chosen from the old lists and therefore do not represent the Russian people. The Jacobins in France by sheer terrorism forced the great majority of the French people to abstain from voting and so got an Assembly majority to their liking. LENINE lets the people vote and then has his Red Guards chase their duly elected representatives out of the chamber. By this proceeding he sets up the Soviets, or the Councils of Workmen's and Soldiers' Deputies, as the true representatives of the Russian people. In law these councils have no standing whatever. The delegates were chosen by votes of the workmen in the factories, by the soldiers of the regiments. Under their authority the workmen and the so-called proletariat of Petrograd have been armed, and it is only because of this armed force that LENINE is able to maintain his Government. It rests upon the foundation of a mob equipped with rifles and machine guns.

The Russian people appear to have been effectually cowed. The vast majority of them are supposed to disapprove the proceedings of the Bolsheviki, but they are unorganized, they have no organs for the expression and formation of opinion, since the Bolsheviki have suppressed all newspapers save their own, they have no leader. The Constitutional Democrats, or Cadets, sent only fifteen delegates to the Constituent Assembly. Some of these delegates were arrested, the others did not dare to take their seats. The seats of the Right, representing the moderate opinion of the Russian people, of the small property owners and the sober-minded, order-loving class, were vacant. The Constitutional Democrats, representing Russian intelligence and steadiness, were excluded by the Bolsheviki because they are considered to be agents of capital, of the bourgeois class. The Social Revolutionaries of the Centre are not keen enough about the continuance of the class struggle against capitalism to be acceptable to LENINE and his kind, to whom that struggle is everything.

If the moderate middle class does pluck up courage enough to oppose the Bolsheviki, and if it finds a capable leader, civil war will begin. According to all precedents, that should be the next stage. Already SHINGAROFF, KERENSKY'S Minister of Finance, and KOKOSHKINE, State Controller under the Kerensky Government, have been murdered in their beds. This may be an intimation to the opponents of LENINE, that the path of quietness and submission is the only path of safety. Civil strife, assassination, and bloodshed are the natural ending of the Lenine-Trotzky adventure in the usurpation of power, and it is difficult to believe that Russia can have any well-established Government until that stage of the revolution has been lived through.

VINDICATION OF THE SHERMAN LAW.

Colonel ROOSEVELT tells the League of Political Education that the Sherman law "ought to be repealed, now" that the Government itself had "violated it by combining the management of the railroads under one "man." The United Mine Workers are of the same opinion. Their President remarks that the Sherman law is set aside to permit the formation of export trusts and similar pools, although it is an open season for the Federal judiciary to hunt labor unions; therefore, before the mine workers adjourn, they should summon Congress to relieve the unions as the other trusts have been relieved.

These views would be sounder if nothing had happened since the Supreme Court in the railway pool cases declared that Congress meant what it enacted, that "all" combinations in restraint of trade were unreasonable and unlawful. Repeatedly the court said that if there were to be any exceptions to "all" they should be got from Congress, but that the court never would admit that there could be any exceptions otherwise, though all trade should be stopped. However, on the third asking the court "limited and qualified" its earlier opinions. It was only by misunderstanding that the court had come to be thought of the opinion that "all" restraint of trade meant "all." The court's true meaning, which it had held unchanged from the beginning, was that "all" restraints to trade were forbidden which were contrary to public interest, because unreasonable or immoral. That was why the Oil and Tobacco Trusts were dissolved, without adjudging that trusts more reasonable in their nature, and more accordant with commercial good conduct, might not live under the law. Good trusts are not removed from the ban upon "all" trusts. Being justified by the rule of reason and conduct conformable with public interests, they never were under the ban of the law.

That seems simple and right enough. Yet it took the Supreme Court from 1890 to 1911 to find it out. If it takes the country no longer, in twenty-one years from 1911, in 1932, it will be generally perceived that it is not possible to repeal the Sherman law. To do so would be to repeal the rule of reason and the common law of merchants. That was what the Supreme Court for twenty years was understood to say that Congress tried to do. The attempt failed because it is not possible to enact revolutions, not even with the help of uncounted lawyers, much tribulation, and repeated decisions by the highest court. Business was harassed by the attempt to cripple and confine its energies. There was economic loss, and undesirable upsetting of notions of what was right and wrong. But it all came to nothing. The Sherman law is right as it stands. It permits all acts according to reason and accordant with public interest, and forbids only acts of the opposite kind. There is not and never can be a catalogue of such acts.

Mr. ROOSEVELT, therefore, misinstructed the League of Political Education when he told it that the Government had violated the Sherman law by combining the railways. That act is justified by its nature, being in the public interest. It would be so even if there were no war. If the railroads had combined themselves, promoted public interests, and increased trade by methods not immoral, it would have embarrassed the court to penalize them under the rule of reason. The United Mine Workers also are misinstructed by their leaders. The time will never come when the court will allow unions to act contrary to public interest by offenses against good conscience. It is necessary to say this because the United Mine Workers and some other unions seem to think that, because the Sherman law allows them to combine, it allows the "combine" to do whatever it wishes under the plea that it benefits wage earners. The export combinations are not chartered to do wrongful acts, contrary to public interest. They afford no basis for the argument of the unionists.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Proceedings Worthy of Prussia.

When the enemy aliens who have been collected recently on Ellis Island were moved across the bay Saturday, as the first stage of their journey to the internment camp in the South where they are to remain for the duration of the war, they took pains to prove how well they deserved incarceration as alien enemies. They did more. They made as much harder and embarrassing as they could the position in this country both of all loyal American citizens of German descent and of all unnaturalized Germans here who are trying to deserve, by scrupulous observance of our laws, the kindness and generosity with which our Government has treated them.

This the travelers in question did by singing loudly their national anthem and by making insulting demonstrations of contempt as they passed the Statue of Liberty.

If these men had been prisoners of war, such conduct would have been highly injudicious, but it could have been excused, as coming from a class in a state of mind not conducive to manifestations of delicate courtesy toward their captors. It might even have won something of admiration as a bold defiance of national foes and of such resentment as it might excite. But the prisoners were not soldiers—they were men who had already violated obligations which all men of honor recognize as binding, and for that they had been condemned to undergo a punishment that by no stretch of definition could be called unduly severe—that was much less severe than the punishment which surely would be inflicted in their own country on Americans who had been guilty of like grave offenses against the German Government and people.

There was, therefore, nothing heroic in what they did. It was at best the worst of manners—true Prussian manners—and it was about as far as possible from justifying German claims to intelligence and efficiency. And it should anger most, as it injured most, the German-American upon whom, inevitably, will be imposed by his neighbors the task of explaining why Germans behaved so stupidly and boorishly.

Morals as Applied to Animals.

When anti-vivisectionists are compelled, as all of them except the most fanatical can be compelled, to admit that animal experimentation has been of some little help in the treatment of human diseases, they fall back into their last ditch—the assertion that men have no moral right to inflict on animals sufferings which are not wholly and directly advantageous to the animals themselves. That is what the editor of Life did, in the conversation on the subject of vivisection printed in THE TIMES on Sunday.

Exactly what Mr. MITCHELL meant by "moral right" he took care not to explain, preferring to let that point remain conveniently vague. Therein he was wise, for any clear thinking or plain talking about the moral rights of life in its lower forms as against its higher forms leads straight to wild absurdity.

If men are under any such moral obligations toward animals as men are to one another, then the slaughter of animals for food is as bad as cannibalism, the shearing of sheep is a mere robbery of the weak by the strong, and the compulsion of horses to lifelong labor for no other recompense than food and lodging is on a level with slavery.

The argument of moral right goes still further—if it goes any distance at all. It would condemn the application of hellebore to currant worms and of paris green to potato bugs. And as, according to all biologists, there is no essential difference between animal and vegetable life, what excuse have we, self-elected masters and exploiters of the world, to cut down a tree for firewood, to use corn or wheat for other than the ends for which corn and wheat take the trouble to grow, and what sanction can we offer for eating an apple or a cabbage?

All these are living creatures, and the consistent anti-vivisectionist simply must be horrified by interference with the "rights" of any of them.

Bombarded from a Glass House.

Several Government officials seem to find much pleasure just now—and the variously eminent GEORGE CREEL to find most—in scolding the newspapers for preferring sensation to truth and for seeking interest at the expense of accuracy. It does not occur to these critics of the press, apparently, that practically all of the "stories" to which they are objecting came straight from themselves or from men in like position, and Mr. CREEL must have a particularly short memory if he does not recall how he deliberately expanded a plain and simple narrative of an encounter at sea between American vessels and German submarines into a battle that never took place.

What he did then the reputable majority of American newspapers never do, and if those same papers misled their readers by printing his account of that imaginary battle, he should be the last to find fault with them for trusting him. Also, he might give them credit for having been, ever since that painful experience, very cautious about using information from the same source.

As for the case of the man SPOERMANN, that, too, as originally presented, was altogether on official authority, and its present mitigations, to unprejudiced observers, seem to be largely due to the disinclination of one governmental department to take action deemed proper by another governmental department.

FOR GERMAN-DEMOCRACY.

Double Aim of the Society Being Formed Here.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Permit me, as Secretary of the Friends of German Democracy, to thank you for your helpful editorial article of Monday. You have asked a question which, I am sure, is in the minds of a majority of those who have heard of the activities of our society, the question being, "Why is this organization?" I shall attempt to give a very brief, and, I hope, satisfactory answer.

First of all, the Friends of German Democracy is not restricted to American citizens of German ancestry. We already have quite a number of members who trace their descent from the Mayflower and from Captain John Smith of Virginia. However, you will agree that we should not be wise were we to include all of our fellow-citizens of those two highly esteemed groups, as we do not wish either unduly to decrease the membership of other worthy societies or to interfere with the personnel of the public service. While everybody who is in harmony with our purposes is invited to join, we ask a voluntary restriction of membership to those who can best serve our cause by working with us rather than with some other organization.

An important part of our activities is indicated in an official statement made recently: "The Friends of German Democracy are seeking to unify the people of America in the common cause as well as to arouse the people of Germany to a sense of their duty and of their opportunity." The vast majority of Americans of German descent have been misled by the organized propaganda of the German Government in this country. This propaganda has been intensively conducted for at least a quarter of a century. As a result a large number of American citizens of German birth have not only been kept ignorant of the causes of the war but, what is far worse, they have been so imbued with unsound principles and false hopes as to be willing to make sacrifices for those principles and hopes. If they are properly informed we feel sure that all but a very small minority of them will be quite as willing to serve the right cause as the wrong one. Hence we feel that our organization is not dividing, but uniting, the American people.

As regards our work in connection with the propaganda of democracy within Germany, let me again quote from the recent statement from our National Committee: "The purpose of the society is to further democracy by aiding the people of Germany to establish in Germany a Government responsible to the people." I shall discuss later our activities and our recent information. I wish now merely to emphasize that even a complete victory on the field of battle will ultimately fail to establish democracy in Central and Eastern Europe and peace throughout the world unless the German people are finally won to the principles we are fighting for.

The only regret I have as regards our society is that it was not established in the Summer of 1914 instead of in the Spring of 1917. Whatever message the democracy of America has to deliver to the nascent democracy of Germany can best be presented through such an organization as we are developing. Had the intelligent and practical-minded friends of the Russian democracy in America been competently organized for the assistance of the Russian revolutionists, affairs in Russia might not have gone nearly so badly as they have. With the victory of the Russian revolution there returned to Russia hundreds of well-intentioned ignoramuses and hopeless theorists. When we tried to help them through our mission, we did not, to put the matter mildly, do as well as we might have done had we been better advised. We have made a complete failure of our relations with Russia. Let us be prepared to do our cause the service of being prepared to make a more intelligent effort when the time is ripe in Germany.

Finally, as regards that most natural statement of yours, "The wise German-American emphasizes his Americanism and minimizes his Germanism as much as he can conveniently and properly." Let me make a somewhat critical observation. As I understand this war it is not a matter of "Americanism" or "Germanism." In the evolution of the historical processes the forces of democracy won repeated and fundamental victories in Britain and America. These victories were due to the basic geographical and hence historical conditions of human life in the territories which formed the homes of our peoples. In Germany these same forces of democracy were beaten down and driven out because of the different geographical and historical conditions obtaining in Germany. Our purpose in this war is completely to crush the enemies of freedom. Whether those enemies are ultimately found to number 5 per cent., 25 per cent., or 95 per cent. of the German people is now a matter of indifference to us. We are going on, clear through to Potsdam, and finish the job. However, we do not think that any American, be he a soldier in the trenches or civilian toiler here, will wish, in view of the exigencies of the present situation, to refuse whatever help the Friends of German Democracy may be able to enlist in Germany.

FRANK BOHN.

New York, Jan. 21, 1918.

Ice Breaker and Fireboat.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I read with a great deal of interest the editorial suggestion in yesterday's TIMES that the city build one or more icebreakers similar to those used in Canadian harbors to meet conditions such as we have been confronted with this Winter. Would it not be still more practical if the vessel were designed as a combination fireboat and icebreaker? This could readily be done, and would be more economical than if planned as an icebreaker only, as such a vessel would only be of use for a few weeks in severe Winters.

J. D. S.

New York, Jan. 19, 1918.

America After the War

Democracy in Europe Not an American War Aim—The Test of Our Own Institutions to Come After the Re-establishment of Peace Conditions.

By AN AMERICAN JURIST

CHAPTER X.—DEMOCRACY. (Part Two.)

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THE world has a very long history, and that American democracy is even yet in the experimental stage must be admitted by every reflecting man. Until recently American democracy has been conservative and just. The older democracies were not exempt from serious defects. They were not fair to property, and therefore perished. Certain recent democratic theories of taxation, very much favored by the modern school of democrats, have not yet been worked out in America in detail. On the practical results of the application of these theories the ultimate fate of democracy in America much depends. If it shall be proved that the new theories stifle individual initiative, destroy property and energy and are subversive of all the arts and the sciences peculiar to high civilization, it will be safe to affirm that either these unjust theories must be quickly abandoned or else that democracy will not establish itself as a recognized principle for the world. If such fallacious theories of taxation are persisted in, after being demonstrated unsound, it is safe to affirm that then it will be democracy which will be forced to give way to some other system of government productive of better results to mankind. A system of taxation is dangerous to the stability of government in exact proportion to its injustice. It must be remembered that liberty, freedom, and justice are not inconsistent with forms of government other than democracies. There have been democracies in the past which have subverted both liberty and justice. The great constitutional lawyer, Mr. Justice Story, thought that democracies could maintain themselves only where the people were superior and highly enlightened. His conclusion is entitled to some consideration by thoughtful men even in democracies, for he contributed much toward the success of the Republic instituted by the established democracy of America.

Doubtless Americans are justified thus far in regarding their own political institutions as the best for themselves, for no other form of government has ever produced for so long a period so much happiness among so many people in so great an extent of country. Nevertheless, it is highly inexpedient for American democracy to endeavor to force democracy as a principle at this time on the other nations of the world. No monarchical nation would be willing to accept its political institutions from a foreign power. Nor can a foreign country be forced even by a successful war to act against the national predilections, customs, and traditions. Nothing so certainly tends to the perpetuation of monarchy in Europe at the present time as the proclamation of a democratic power that a particular monarchical country must accept democracy as a principle.

It is to be feared that the American proclamation of democracy as a universal principle of government is disquieting to those of our own allies whose régime is aristocratical, if not absolutely monarchical. It takes no note of the real strength of European aristocracies at the present time. Lord Northcliffe has evidently detected this danger, for he has announced that America is not now fighting for democracy, (Current Opinion Magazine for October, 1917.) In Europe the aristocracies, while having undergone a great inherent change, still possess a commanding influence in all European States. Some years since a distinguished French writer, Count Melchior de Vogüe, well pointed out the radical changes which had taken place in the modern constitutions of European aristocracies. However distasteful aristocracies of any kind may be to Americans, they ought not to shut their eyes to the fact that the aristocratic classes are in Europe still strongly intrenched and greatly respected by most Europeans. The aristocracies of Europe, however now constituted, are seriously attached to monarchical institutions, which they naturally associate with the ideals that they most cherish in life. In order to abolish monarchy in Europe it will be necessary to uproot the whole social order of all European States except Switzerland. An American propaganda for democracy outside of America is therefore inexpedient, as it tends to shock and alienate the aristocratic classes in the various countries of the European allies of America. In Europe the aristocracy as a body is evidently beginning to wonder where the Entente with America is leading them, and, if the truth were known, the American proclamation of democracy as a universal principle is becoming a powerful influence in Europe for a speedy peace. Many Europeans, quite outside of Germany and Austria, begin to see that if the Hapsburgs and the Hohenzollerns are to be forcibly ejected from their hereditary kingdoms, then the royal houses of Windsor and Savoy, of Spain, Holland, Denmark, and Sweden will soon be expelled. Now, the governing aristocracies of all these countries are by no means ready to abdicate, nor are their Kings, whatever Mr. Lloyd George and his followers may have in contemplation for England's particular royalties. It is a formidable undertaking for America to attempt to establish a universal democracy on the débris of the last of the thrones of Europe.

Nor can Americans afford to disregard the fact that even in republican France there still exists a powerful aristocratic class who, while ever loyal to France, never allow themselves in times of peace to come into personal contact with the officialdom of the republic. The old French aristocracy still believe, as Bismarck believed, that a republic is not the most formidable government in a military sense for France. They are convinced that republican politics lead to corruption and tend to weaken France. The old French aristocracy, in other words, do not believe in the principle of democracy. Americans should bear in mind that it is not absolutely impossible that under some circumstances France may yet become a monarchy and join some future league of the Kings. It is quite significant that even the most advanced republican officials in France have had the moderation to recognize that, so long as the existing democratic institutions of France are not threatened directly from without, the political principles of foreign States should not be provoked by France even in time of war. Concerning the revolution in Russia, official France has been notably reticent. The action of America has been otherwise, and not in accordance with American precedent. A revolution in Russia is not necessarily a democratic manifestation.

After the revolt of the Spanish provinces from Spain, the United States thought it decorous to wait five years before any formal recognition of their independence. Whether the future Government of Russia, as it shall be ultimately reorganized, may not take exception and umbrage to the speedy recognition by America of the revolution remains to be seen. The pendency of the great war is the justification doubtless for the prompt American action toward the Russian revolution. It would seem unfortunate that it was not possible for America to co-operate with the Russian military authorities in their offensive against Germany without the necessity of a recognition of the revolution before some form of government, which showed greater indications of permanency, had been erected in Russia. It is apparent that the Republic of France has been more cautious in its attitude toward the revolution in Russia, while the Democracy of England has spoken with hesitation. The long holding back in London of the first American dispatches from Washington to Russia would seem to indicate some doubt on the part of the English authorities about the wisdom of the speedy American indorsement of the Russian revolution.

So long as the principle of democracy in America is not questioned by Europeans, it is impolitic for America to challenge the principle of monarchy in Europe. If Europe becomes restless or resentful of American influence, monarchy as a principle will quickly reincorporate itself with the aid of the powerful European aristocracy. It may then conclude that its own favorite institutions cannot survive, if menaced overtly by the American democracy. It is not impossible that in that event America will be plagued by a powerful European coalition endeavoring to undermine it in all directions. America has no proper concern with democracy as a principle of government, except in so far as it relates to America. In America, democracy has the right and the duty to maintain itself by every means in its power, but it is impolitic for America to project itself unnecessarily against the monarchical predilections and traditions of Europeans. America cannot afford to occupy the position of provocateur of European revolutions. It is a maxim that "revolutions often react and devour their nurses." The freedom and security of Americans are too important to be jeopardized by hostile and intrusive assertions of Americans that democracy is the only proper governmental principle.

Wise Americans do not forget that democracy has not yet solved in America some of the peculiar problems of popular government which require a longer period of time for their proper solution. The efficient government of great cities on the principle of democracy is but one of the many existing problems of democracy. The comparatively new civic communities in America have not had time to create a civic spirit. It is thought that it takes 500 years to consolidate and train any civic community. But, whatever the reason may be, thus far democracy has not solved in America the problem of the orderly and the economic government of great cities. Under no other form of government is the administration of great municipalities so bad and so extravagant as it is in America. Unjust and excessive municipal assessments and taxation, the exploitation of the municipal resources by designing demagogues, a general wasteful extravagance, and an ineffective police are familiar spectacles in the larger American cities. These things threaten property and menace the prosperity of the whole country. Peaceable, old-fashioned citizens of districts adjacent to large cities in America have been actually ruined by the unjust exploitations of the municipal authorities. Their outlying lands have been taken from them through unjust assessments fomented by civic political exploiters, and no adequate redress has as yet been discovered for this form of municipal injustice.

Of all governments the municipal is that which touches most closely the welfare of the people, and it is most important to them that it should be good and efficient. Until the democratic municipal governments of America are made far better, as they doubtless will be and must be in the course of time, American democracy has no complete title to justify itself as a general principle for the world. It is generally admitted that democracy will be able to solve its municipal problems only after a much longer period of time. Meanwhile, democracy in America will have problems enough of its own without undertaking to spread democracy as a principle throughout Europe.

The inefficiency of democracy as a principle of government was lately emphasized by the disclosure of the deplorable situation of the shipping of the United States. At the outbreak of the present war in 1914 America, with a coast line far greater than that of any country in Europe and with a large maritime population once training and sending to sea the most skillful sailors in the world, had practically no merchant shipping. Her coast people, who naturally follow the sea, had deserted it. Why this was puzzled thoughtful Americans. It has been suggested that there has long been a great shipping trust, representing all the large European companies—English, French, and German alike. It is said that the shipping laws of America have been made in the interest of the foreign shipping trusts and not in the interest of the American Nation. It is evident that this explanation ought not to be accepted without proof, for it may be an unjust reflection on Congress. That the destruction of American shipping is due to other causes than corruption in Congress is the better and more conservative opinion. Unfortunately, that explanation reflects on the capacity for government of democracy.

With all its defects, educated and influential Americans of the best traditional type believe that democracy is a necessary principle of free government in America. They continue to hope and believe that the manifest defects in the operation of the democratic political institutions of America can and will be obviated in time. But the wisest of them are convinced that the principle of "America for the Americans" is endangered by any premature attempt of Americans to impose the principle of democracy at this time on the Governments of Europe as a world principle. America is making war against Germany, not to extend democracy or the peculiar institutions of America, but, as Lord Northcliffe has rightly conjectured, in order to defend American nationality and American freedom against the assaults of a formidable and unscrupulous foreign enemy. That America will and must succeed in the war admits of no doubt; but in order to succeed it is quite unnecessary for Americans to obscure the plain issue with Germany by the discussion of a political philosophy not yet complete.

The time is doubtless coming in the world when the security of a personal liberty will be a first principle of all Governments, no matter what form they may assume. Tyrannies everywhere will pass away forever. Monarchies will be as liberal and as free as republics. A more intelligent and trained public will no longer in any country be deluded by mere oratorical phrases. Government of all kinds will be recognized as an intricate business, and it will be given over to the most capable, the most efficient, and the best trained. The United States will then form no exception to a universal principle. It will become more practical and less idealistic. The demagogues and the visionaries in America will then be required by an intelligent public to yield their influence to more capable men. Then only will liberty be well ordered and permanent in the world, and democracy triumph as a universal principle. When this comes about there will be no need of an American crusade to impose the principles of democracy on the world. The world will then be safe for democracy and democracy safe for the world.

Since America has declared war against Germany the conduct of its democracy has justified the expectations of the most ardent Americans. Democracy in the United States has thus far displayed a loyalty and a quiet dignity rivaling France. It has submitted to unprecedented and drastic military measures of the Government without a murmur and with a readiness and loyalty not exceeded in the German Empire. With such a citizenship any Government may be well satisfied. The conduct of the American people points to a long reign of order under the Republic. But the real test of democracy and republican institutions will come after the war when the politicians begin again their mischievous appeals for total disarmament, for the neglect of our war defensive with the hope of capturing a discontented and impoverished people. If democracy passes through the ordeal safely, proves conservative and continues to exhibit an intelligent and elevated political outlook, discarding the coming socialistic program of the extreme political demagogues, the Republic will be safe for a long, a conservative, and an interesting future. It will, however, be compelled to correct that fatal defect of democracies—excessive governmental extravagance in the wrong direction. While America has been able to stand up in the past, despite the gross extravagance of its governmental machine, the time is coming when a non-productive extravagance in the wrong directions will have to cease if democracy is to prove permanent. If the attitude of the American democracy proves as correct toward the notorious improvidence of the politicians at Washington as it has thus far proved toward the pending war, democracy will have vindicated itself completely and the Republic will be safe for a long time to come.

THE COAL FAILURE.

Blame Put Upon the Interstate Commerce Commission.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I have read with interest many comments upon the drastic order of Fuel Administrator H. A. Garfield, which, during the past several days, has caused consternation among big business interests of the country. While the order may or may not have been necessary, it is the edict of the Government and therefore must be closely followed.

This order is indirectly the result of the short-sighted and unbusinesslike policy on the part of the Interstate Commerce Commission and of stones cast by members of Congress, who, for years past, have been allowed to attack the railroads of the nation mostly for the sake of political effect. Little did they know that their trenchant assaults upon the railroads would in time result in a situation such as the present one, which means that billions in capital will remain idle, as the result of inadequate railroad facilities.

I believe the time is not far off when the Interstate Commerce Commission will realize its errors of the past and the Government will close its ears to the protests of publicity-seeking Congressmen and allow the railroads to operate along the lines of other great corporations.

I have every confidence in the ability of Secretary McAdoo, and believe that he, better than any other man, can alleviate the difficulties of the present situation. Of course no man, or group of men, can accomplish this unless given a proper period of time, but I feel that the plans conceived by Secretary McAdoo will in time overcome these difficulties and undo the harm to the transportation interests of the country caused by the policy pursued by the Government during the last ten years.

ARCHIBALD McNEIL, Sr.

Bridgeport, Jan. 18, 1918.

For a Statement by Neutrals.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Would it not be wise diplomacy for the countries which are fighting the Central Powers to suggest to all the neutral powers, with a view to hastening the termination of the war by the united exercise of moral pressure, that they join in a declaration to the effect that they approve and urge the acceptance of the conditions of peace laid down by President Wilson? Such an expression of opinion, unaccompanied by any unfriendly act, would in no sense be a violation of neutrality and could not be regarded as a pretext for the beginning of hostilities by any one. If all the South American republics, and the European neutral countries as well, or even most of them, would join in such a declaration, the effect must be very great, if not on the rulers, at least on the masses of the people, who in the end will determine when and on what terms the war must stop.

ARCHIBALD HOPKINS.

Washington, Jan. 18, 1918.

ART MUSEUM HAS $159,442 DEFICIT

Increase of $47,392 Over Last Year, with $161,557 More to Meet Running Expenses.

THREE BEQUESTS $3,450,558

19,003 Art Objects Added, with American Artists Well Represented in the Acquisitions.

In spite of the war, and various curtailments because of it, that the Metropolitan Museum of Art has had one of the most memorable years in its history was shown by the report of the Board of Trustees given at the forty-eighth annual meeting yesterday by the President of the Museum, Robert W. de Forest.

There have been valuable bequests, which Mr. de Forest notes as adding greatly to the well-being of the Museum. One of these is that of the late John Hoge, the bequest to the Museum of property, as recently announced, valued at $950,000. Another is that of Isaac Dudley Fletcher, from which the Museum has received in cash, securities, &c., $831,260. On account of the bequest of Harris Brisbane Dick $1,069,296 has been received, with $15,000 on account of the bequest of Maria De Witt Jesup, and the payment in full of the bequest of William M. St. John—$10,000.

"The gift of the remainder of the Morgan collection, by J. Pierpont Morgan," said Mr. de Forest, "is the most important ever received by the Museum, and probably the most important it ever will receive."

Increase in Administration Cost.

Always interesting in the Museum reports is that of the cost of administration. Owing to the entailment of the funds in bequests there is annually a deficit which is made up from different sources and by the Trustees largely from their own pockets.

The cost of administration the year past was $481,772, a decided increase over the cost of the year previous, each year seeing a vast growth in the Museum augmenting its expenses. The cost of the administration last year was $432,286. The deficit this year was $159,442, to one of $112,050 last year. The contribution of the city to the expenses remains stationery $200,000 annually. The amount of the Museum's resources applicable to payment of the administration expenses this year was $122,329 in addition to the city's appropriation. There was $161,557 more to meet the running expense, but in spite of this the deficit was $47,392 greater.

Membership dues are one of the sources of revenue which are used for current expenses, and the Museum added this year 2,346 new members and lost by death, resignation, &c., 1,019, making a net increase over last year of 1,011.

Two important members of the Board of Trustees were lost to the Museum this year in the deaths of John G. Johnson and Joseph H. Choate, the latter First Vice President, whose place has been filled by Elihu Root, long a trustee of the Museum. Mr. Root was present at the annual meeting yesterday and made an address in response to his welcome to his new office at the first annual meeting of the Museum since his election. A new Trustee elected to the board this last Fall is Francis C. Jones, painter and Treasurer of the National Academy of Design.

Acquisition of Art Objects.

Of the acquisitions of objects of art by the Musuem this last year there have been 19,003. Of these 887 were by bequest, 18,130 by gift, including the Morgan collection, and 486 by purchase. American artists have been well represented in the accessions to the Museum of 28 paintings and 7 pieces of sculpture. Among special bequests has been that of the collection of watches of the late Mrs. George A. Hearn, which has been on loan at the Museum since 1907 with her notable collection of laces. A bequest to the Museum for some time in litigation, but decided in favor of the Museum, was $50,000 from the late Jessie Gillender, the income to be applied to lectures on the Museum collections by specialists.

Purchases made by the Museum have been fewer and less important this last year owing to war conditions. There have been many additions to the Egyptian collections, but these are held in Cairo until the end of the war. Additions to the Classical Department have been made in Europe and are also being held. Mr. de Forest told in detail of the many improvements made in and additions to the collections in different departments.

Notable in the improvement in the Classical Department, and one of the most important events of the year to the museum proper was the housing of the department in its beautiful new quarters in the first floor of Wing J, which was opened early in December. The collection, hitherto scattered, is brought together here in admirable fashion, and is altogether a distinguished addition to the museum. All the collections—with the exception of a single gallery—are originals here, casts and reproductions being shown in other parts of the building.

The lace collection has a new and beautiful setting. One room, the Fragonard room, formerly containing the Fragonard painting—now owned by Mr. Frick—a small room, a facsimile of one in the Morgan residence in London, is one of the interesting rooms of the department and is filled with laces of that period. The Department of Far Eastern Art now displays its collections to advantage in the former lace galleries.

Extensive Work In Lectures.

Dr. Bashford Dean, Curator of Arms and Armor, visited Japan last year to obtain a notable Japanese collection for his department, the purchase made possible through the generosity of a Trustee. The Print Department has received valuable additions, and also the library, though there has been difficulty in obtaining books and periodicals from abroad. Art students making a persistent demand for examples of war and commercial posters, a collection was formed by the Museum. An extensive work has been done educationally in lectures and classes, with study rooms arranged for students. The Museum's lantern slide collection goes to schools and lecturers in different parts of the country. Its paintings are also sent out for loan exhibitions.

The Museum makes its contribution to the war work of the country. Sailors and soldiers in uniform are welcomed and admitted to the Museum free at all times, and special arrangements are made for their guidance. In addition to this a course of lectures has been arranged in connection with the Y. M. C. A. and a number of interested men in nearby camps.

There was a good attendance at the meeting yesterday of the Trustees and their wives. Dr. Henry S. Pritchett, Director of the Carnegie Foundation, made an address, another was made by Joseph Breck, Curator of the Department of Decorative Arts, and Director Edward Robinson was also a speaker. Among those present were Allison V. Armour, Herbert D. Adams, R. B. Dodson, Mrs. Frederick S. Lee, Samuel T. Peters, Jr., and Mrs. Lancashire, Theodore Weston, Giles Whiting, Lewis Cass Ledyard, William Church Osborn, Mrs Henry E. Coe, F. R. Appleton, Howard Mansfield, Edward D. Adams, Mrs. E. T. H. Halsey, Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Hines, Mr. and Mrs. George Blumenthal, and Francis Jones.

Boucher War Paintings on View.

A collection of ninety-nine paintings made on the French battlefields by J. F. Boucher, official painter to the French Army, will be placed on exhibition today at the Rit-Carlton. Portraits of Marshal Joffre and General Pershing, posed at their respective headquarters, will be shown, and a captive airplane painted on a piece of wood from the wrecked German plane is one of the novelties of the exhibition.

TAKES UP WOMEN LABOR.

Service Board Head Answers Protest of Labor Union.

In response to a protest made by the Central Labor Union of Brooklyn and Queens against the employment of women on the city's railroads, Chairman Thomas Mott Osborne of the Commission replied yesterday by saying that if the union thought it could produce facts showing that the employment of women menaced the adequacy, safety, or continuity of the service, an effort would be made to arrange for public hearings at which testimony along these lines might be submitted.

The communication to Mr. Straus contained a copy of a resolution adopted by the union which protested "against the ruinous policy" of "action monopolies." Part of the preamble said that the employment of women as conductors, guards, and porters was not due to any shortage of labor "if a living wage were offered," and it complained of the long and irregular hours and the character of the work, which is not fitted for the peculiar physical structure of women, and cannot be performed by them without injury to their health and moral fibre.

Mr. Straus's letter was addressed to Otto Nicols, Corresponding Secretary of the union. "The commission has not the power to say, on physical or moral grounds, or for reasons of health, public policy, or the maintenance of proper wage standards, that women shall or shall not be employed, or that only men shall be employed," he says. "The law thus far leaves to the companies the selection of employes and leaves to the companies and their agreement with present or prospective employes the determination of the wages contracts. The commission has no power to exclude either men or women from any employment by reason of sex, or to say that men or women shall not continue in the employment of a railroad company."

Mr. Straus said that the question of competency, qualifications, or suitability of employes could be treated by the commission only if the public safety or convenience was threatened.

PRESIDENT SUBMITS NEW BILL ON PRICES

Measure Is Reported to Give Blanket Authority, Without Specifying Product.

IMMEDIATE PASSAGE ASKED

Members of House Committee Go to White House for Conference Over Proposed Law.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—A draft of a bill giving the President broad powers to fix prices of food and other products essential to the conduct of the war or for domestic consumption was laid before members of the House Agriculture Committee today by President Wilson with the request that it be pressed for passage.

Representative Lever, South Carolina, Chairman of the committee, and Representative Lee, Georgia; Candler, Mississippi, Democrats, and Haugen, Iowa, and McLaughlin, Michigan, Republicans, were called to the White House and told by the President that he believed a situation had arisen that necessitated immediate legislation to provide these powers.

Members of the committee declined to disclose details of the bill. Chairman Lever left the White House with the President's copy to study over its provisions tonight, and if satisfied with it will introduce it tomorrow.

It is understood that the measure would give the President through any agency that he may designate blanket authority to fix prices without specifying the products.

In his address to Congress at the opening of this session, the President gave notice of his intention to ask for such authority. In regard to the officials of the Administration as necessary to deal with iron, steel, oil, cotton, and other raw materials for war supplies as well as with food, both for the army and navy and for the public.

Some time ago the Chamber of Commerce of the United States conducted a referendum, and an overwhelming majority of its constituent commercial organizations indorsed a plan for giving complete price-fixing powers to a board or commission under the President. It is understood that this plan was carefully considered in drafting the legislation now proposed.

BRIDE OF LIEUT. F. R. MASON

Miss Marcelle O. Stemmler Weds Reserve Officer at Her Home.

The marriage of Lieutenant Frederic Raoul Mason of the 108th Infantry, U. S. R., and Miss Marcelle Ogden Stemmler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore W. Stemmler, was celebrated at 1 o'clock yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, the Apthorpe, Broadway at Seventy-ninth Street, by the Rev. Edwin E. Lavender of Montclair, N. J. The bride, in white satin and tulle and a tulle veil held with a point lace Russian headdress, carried roses and lilies of the valley, and had only one attendant, her sister, Miss Lorraine B. Stemmler, who wore a pink satin frock draped with lavender net, and carried sweet peas to match.

Miss Emilie Rich's Wedding Plans.

Plans have been completed for the wedding of Miss Emilie Howard Rich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Rich of 16 Central Park South, and Andrew M. Underhill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Underhill of South Orange, N. J., which is to take place on Saturday in St. Agnes's Chapel, West Ninety-second Street, at 4 o'clock. The bride's matron of honor will be Mrs. Eugene V. Connett, sister of the bridegroom, and Mr. Connett will be Mr. Underhill's best man. The ushers selected are George E. Turrell and Frederick Myers of South Orange, Lemaire Zabriskie, U. S. N. R., and Lieutenant Ralph Hyde, U. S. N., both of this city, and Russell Earle of Brooklyn. A supper for the families and relatives will be served at the Rich residence.

Miss Marguerite Rascovar a Bride.

Miss Marguerite Rascovar, daughter of Mrs. Vera Rascovar of 16 West Eighty-second Street, was married on Saturday evening last to Adolph Woolner Baar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Baar of this city. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. G. Enelow at 7 o'clock in the Louis XVI. Room at the St. Regis Hotel. Frank J. Rascovar, who is attending Officers' Training School at Camp Upton, gave his sister in marriage. Mrs. E. H. Raudnitz attended her sister, also a young niece of the bride, Marguerite V. Rascovar, who was flower girl. Mrs. Baar is a niece of Harry Rascovar of this city. The couple have gone South on their honeymoon.

Capt. Meagher's Wedding Hastened.

The marriage of Dr. John F. W. Meagher, Captain in the Medical Reserve Corps, and Miss Emily Winifred Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Rose of Brooklyn, was to have taken place yesterday, but announcement was made that the ceremony was performed on Jan. 12.

Captain Meagher is a well-known neurologist in Brooklyn, and received his commission shortly after the outbreak of the war. The marriage date was advanced, as he was ordered hurriedly to San Antonio, Texas. His bride is a cousin of Supreme Court Justice Lewis L. Fawcett.

Wed to Lieut. E. L. Townsend.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of First Lieutenant Effingham Lawrence Townsend, son of Mrs. Franklin Townsend of 12 East Eighty-fifth Street, and Miss Margaret Blanchard Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Edward Graham of Danville, Va., which took place on Saturday, in Washington, D. C. Lieutenant Townsend is with the Ordnance Department in Washington. He has two brothers in service, Franklin Townsend, who is in France, and Charles Townsend, who is at a naval training station.

Williams-Matthews Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Williams of Orange, N. J., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Janet Burch Williams, to Sergeant William Procter Matthews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Matthews of Cincinnati, Ohio. Sergeant Matthews was a member of the class of '18 at Princeton, and is now stationed at Camp Sheridan, Ala., with the 136th Field Artillery.

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MRS. RANDOLPH SUES.

Action for Separation the Sequel of a Romantic Marriage.

The fact that Mrs. Vera Schermerhorn Randolph, daughter of the late George J. Schermerhorn, has left her husband, Robert John Randolph of Virginia, is disclosed through an order filed by Supreme Court Justice Bijur granting Mrs. Randolph $15 a week alimony and $100 counsel fee pending a suit for separation on the ground of cruelty.

Mrs. Randolph was thought to be the recipient of a large income from the estate of her father until she told Justice Bijur in her petition that since she left her husband she has been dependent on the charity of her mother and friends, to whom she owes $2,000. She also has an income of from $75 to $100 a month from the manufacture and sale of handkerchiefs, she said, while her husband has an income of more than $200 a month and lives at the New York Athletic Club. She says he spends money in restaurants and cabarets and drives a racing car.

In reply Mr. Randolph says his only income is $2,000 a year from a civilian appointment with the Government, as the result of which he expects to get a Second Lieutenant's commission soon. He has been living at the expense of his sister and driving her car, he said.

The marriage of Mr. Randolph and Miss Schermerhorn took place in 1906 and was the result of an elopement at Magnolia, Mass. While a formal engagement had been announced a short time before, the couple took an auto ride one night and were married much sooner than their friends and relatives expected. Mrs. Randolph's recital of her husband's cruel treatment begins with their honeymoon, when he is alleged to have struck her with his fist at the Auditorium Hotel in Chicago, and also struck her in 1906 and in subsequent years at various hotels in which they lived in New York.

NEED NOT GIVE CHANGE.

Francis Colgate Dale Loses Suit Against the Western Union.

Through a unanimous decision of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court Francis Colgate Dale has lost a suit against the Western Union Telegraph Company in which was involved the question as to whether a telegraph company should provide its offices with sufficient change for a $10 bill when presented by a patron in payment of charges for $1. The Municipal Court had ruled in Mr. Dale's favor.

Mr. Dale was also in his honeymoon in Los Angeles on June 25, 1915, and was on his way East when he entered a Western Union office in a railroad station and presented a telegram to be sent to his club in New York, directing that his mail be forwarded to Denver. When he tendered a $10 bill in payment for the $1 charge the agent directed him to get change. Mr. Dale admitted that by using a Columbian half-dollar in his possession, he had enough change, but he wanted to keep the coin because it was worth a premium of 5 or 10 cents. He made an effort to get change, and the message was not sent.

Mr. Dale sued the company for the expense of staying overnight at Colorado Springs while waiting for his mail, which would have been unnecessary had the message been sent, and got judgment for $16. In reversing the judgment and dismissing the complaint, the Appellate Division said:

"It was the duty of the plaintiff to pay or tender the usual charges for sending the telegram. Plaintiff's expectation of a premium of 5 or 10 cents on the Columbian half-dollar did not justify his refusal to pay the exact charges, nor was the coin shown to be of such rarity as to warant a desire to retain it rather than turn it over to satisfy the defendant's tolls."

TO RELEASE DUTCH SHIPS.

Will Carry Belgian Relief and Probably South American Trade.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Under an agreement which it is reported has been reached by the War Trade Board and the Dutch Government, steps will be taken at once to employ 500,000 tons of shipping now tied up at New York and other seaports. A number of the ships are badly in need of repairs and will have to be sent to drydocks before they will be available.

It was stated at the Shipping Board offices today that the ships will not be sent into the submarine zone. No detailed statement was made, but it was understood that a number of them will be used to transport grain from Brazil and nitrates from Chile. Arrangements will also be sought for the movement of wheat from Australia and Argentina. A certain percentage of the shipping will aid in the Belgian relief work.

The cargoes of wheat and fodder which have been held on the ships since July 15 will be distributed in this country. Details as to the quantity of foodstuffs which Holland will get will be worked out in the form of a permanent agreement, as the present arrangement is a temporary one. The vessels, it is understood, will be subject to the jurisdiction of the United States Government, and must agree to return to American ports if released for overseas service.

NURSE DIES IN WAR SERVICE

Miss Roberts Was with the Presbyterian Hospital Unit in France.

MADISON, N. J., Jan. 21.—A substitution of the gold star of sacrifice for the blue star of service will be made in the service flag of the First Presbyterian Church here, indicating the first death of a resident of this place in the discharge of patriotic duty.

Word has been received here of the death in France of Miss Annabel Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Roberts, a member of the New York Presbyterian Hospital unit at Etretat, France. Septicaemia is given as the cause of death in the report transmitted through the War Department.

Miss Roberts was graduated from Vassar College in 1913 and entered the Presbyterian Hospital. She was graduated from the nurses' school of that institution with honors, and was appointed night Superintendent. Organization of a war service unit at the hospital included Miss Roberts, and May 14 of last year she sailed for France.

The church and the Red Cross Committee of the borough will hold a memorial service for her.

Two Aviators Killed in Texas.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Jan. 21—Cadet Frank L. Seery was killed, and Cadet V. C. Dunham suffered injuries from which he died at the base hospital, Fort Sam Houston, in a collision of airplanes at Kelly Field this morning. Seery was from Evanston, Ill. Dunham's wife lives at 17 Edmonds Street, Rochester, N. Y.

Knights of Columbus War Benefit.

The Gramercy Neighborhood Association will give an entertainment and dance in the 69th Regiment Armory on next Saturday evening to raise funds for the Knights of Columbus War Camp Fund. The entertainment will begin at 8 o'clock, and many actors and singers have promised to take part. A band of veterans of the 69th Military Band will furnish music for the dance that begins at 11 o'clock.

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JEWISH DRIVE NEAR GOAL.

Meeting at the Biltmore Today Expected to Show Success.

No definite results of the continued drive to get 50,000 new members for the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies were reported yesterday, it having been decided to hold but two meetings of team workers during the second week of the campaign. However, leaders of the movement found ample evidence in the day's accomplishments to justify them in their decision to keep the soliciting forces at work.

At a meeting in the Hotel Biltmore this afternoon it is hoped that definite assurance that the goal has been passed may be given. This result is believed to have been accomplished, but many team colonels have not reported within the past few days and others found their plans temporarily upset by the interruption to business due to the Garfield order.

The aim of the drive—the democratic spread of the movement among Jews of all classes, that the financial burden might not fall too heavily on the well-to-do minority and that responsibility for Jewish welfare work might be felt by all parts of the Jewish community—was much advanced last night at a big mass meeting of members of the orthodox faith in Hunt's Point Palace, in the Bronx.

Albert Lucas, one of the Colonels of the orthodox team, presided, and William Fox, thus far the most successful head of a soliciting team, and others made speeches in Yiddish and in English, explaining the increased wartime needs of the eighty-nine organizations in the federation.

Most of the thousands of solicitors yesterday took advantage of their own enforced holiday and the fact that office buildings and stores were closed to comb the residential districts, in an effort to reach every single prospect there. It is expected that favorable results will be shown when next the enrollments are tabulated.

Felix M. Warburg, President of the federation and leader of the drive; Henry Moscowitz, Dr. Edwin I. Goldwasser, Executive Director of the federation, and Benjamin Antin of the Civil Service Commission were the speakers at a conference last night of representatives of the Federal, State, and city civil service employs.

GIFTS FOR JEWISH RELIEF.

Further Contributions to $10,000,000 Fund Announced.

The American Jewish Relief Committee acknowledges these recent contributions of $50 or more to the $10,000,000 that is being raised in this country for the relief of Jewish war sufferers in Europe:

Sheridan (Wyo.) Committee	$1,200
Rochester Committee	10,000
Omaha Committee	6,000
Des Moines Committee	6,000
Fort Wayne Committee	3,950
Charleston (W. Va.) Committee	3,327
Cumberland Committee	2,000
Little Rock Committee	1,800
Grand Rapids Committee	1,500
Bellaire Committee	1,089
Morris Levy	1,000
Englewood (Ill.) Jewish War Rel. Com. and Young People's Aux. for Jewish War Sufferers	1,000
Pensacola Committee	1,000
Farrell (Penn.) Committee	1,000
Nashville Committee	1,000
Baltimore Committee	1,000
Beth Hamedrash Hagadol, Bronx	878
Galveston Committee	600
Hastings (Neb.) Committee	555
Salina (Kan.) Committee	500
Roanoke Committee	300
Adereth El Congregation	300
L. J. Schiff	250
Elgin (Ill.) Committee	249
Pittsburg (Kan.) Committee	187
Cong. Gemiluth Chassodim, Alexandria, La.	150
Brith Sholom Cong., St. Louis, Mo.	146
M. Turkel-Lith M. A.	100
Adras Israel Cong., Hartford, Conn.	96
Cong. Aitz Chayim, Danville, Va.	86
Chevra Anscha Slobodka, Harlem	84
Pawhuska Committee	80
Goshen (Ind.) Committee	75
Beth Elohim Cong., Florence, S. C.	75
Honnett (N. C.) Committee	75
Talmud Torah Baron Moshe Hirsch, Buenos Aires	72
Debora Levenson and Bertha Turk col.	70
Star Skirt Company	66
Cong. Anshe Ch'esse Israel, Danville, Ill.	64
Manuel Goldberg	50
Ida Cohen	50
Osceola (Ark.) Committee	50
Hebrew Orth. Ladies' Aid Soc., Lafayette, Ind.	50
Bennington Committee	50
St. Louis Committee	8,000
Detroit Committee	7,000
Col. Jewish War Suff. Rel. Committee	4,000
Indianapolis Committee	3,000
Chattanooga Committee	1,274
Emanuel Cong., Beaumont, Texas	1,000
Rio de Janeiro Committee	779
Oil City Committee	356
Cleveland Committee	135
Ohab Zedeck Congregation, Brooklyn	118
La Crosse Committee	117
Stockton (Cal.) Committee	110
Sol. Lamport	100
Krauss Bros. Lumber Co.	100
Worcester Committee	100
Benjamin Halpern	100
Alliance (Ohio) Committee	98
Congr. Adas Jacob Slabodke, Harlem	96
Reno Committee	95
M. M. Sheer	75

The office of the committee is at 20 Exchange Place.

A Son to Mrs. C. I. Voorhees.

A son was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford I. Voorhees of Rose Bank, New Brunswick, N. J., at the home of Mrs. Voorhees's mother, Mrs. Gustaf Stromberg, 540 Park Avenue. Mrs. Voorhees was formerly Miss Adelaide B. Parker, a daughter of Mrs. Stromberg by a former marriage.

R. A. Rincones Dies at Camp Upton.

Rafael A. Rincones, son of Pedro R. Rincones, the Venezuelan Consul General in this city, and a private in an army ammunition train at Camp Upton, died in the base hospital at the camp on Sunday from pneumonia. He enlisted shortly after the declaration of war, but was not called into active service until six weeks ago, when he was transferred from Fort Slocum to Camp Upton. Though born in Caracas of Venezuelan parents Mr. Rincones, who was 23 years old, had lived nearly all his life in this country and became an American citizen on his majority. He was educated at St. Francis Xavier's College in Brooklyn. Before he enlisted he had been associated with his brother, Pedro R. Rincones, Jr., in an importing business in this city. Another brother, Miguel Rincones, is a member of the Sixty-fourth Infantry in Texas.

Mrs. May Banks Stacey.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21.—Mrs. May Banks Stacey, widow of Colonel M. H. Stacey, died today at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Muller, in Evanston. She was 76 years old and the head of the Rosicrucian Cult in American. Mrs. Stacey was a native of Baltimore. She claimed she and her two sons were the only living lineal descendents of Oliver Cromwell. One of her sons, Lieutenant Cromwell Stacey, was senior instructor at both Fort Sheridan officers' training camps.

At the time of her death Mrs. Stacey wore a ring which is said to have been made from a buckle on breeches which were once worn by Cromwell. Mrs. Stacey's father was a distinguished jurist.

Dowager Lady Lawrence.

Dowager Lady Lawrence, widow of Lord Lawrence, who was Viceroy of India from 1864 to 1869, died recently in England, in her ninety-eighth year. Before her marriage, in 1840, she was a Miss Hamilton, the daughter of the Rev. Richard Hamilton, Vicar of Culdaff, Donegal, Ireland. In 1842 she went to India with her husband, who took part in the Punjab campaigns, and in the struggle which ensued Lady Lawrence's home was the refuge of many British families resident in India whose homes in the war-stricken region were beleaguered.

Baroness Wentworth.

The death recently of Lady Anne Blunt, Baroness Wentworth, is announced in British newspapers. She was a granddaughter of George Gordon, Lord Byron, the poet, and as a girl developed skill as an artist with pen and ink. Some of her architectural drawings were exhibited in the Royal Academy in London. She had traveled extensively in Arabia and the East and spent her last years in Egypt. Baroness Wentworth was approaching her eightieth birthday when she died.

Marriage and death notices intended for insertion in The New York Times may be telephoned to 1000 Bryant.

Engaged.

HERSKOVITZ—PERLING.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Perling announce the betrothal of their daughter, Amelia V. Perling, to Mr. Moe S. Herskovitz, at the Hotel Savoy, on Jan. 20.

LIPPMAN—COHEN.—Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Cohen announce the engagement of their daughter Beatrice to James Lippman.

Married.

ATKINSON—TOWNSEND.—On Saturday, Jan. 19, at the residence of her parents, by the Rev. Father Humphrey of St. Joseph's Church, Mildred Audrey Gibert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Bliss Townsend, to Donald Cameron Thompson Atkinson of Quebec, Canada.

TALMADGE—CORNISH.—On Saturday, Jan. 19, 1918, at St. Ambrose Chapel of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York City, by the Rev. Dr. Fleming James, Beatrice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Cornish, to Mr. Frank C. Talmadge of New York City.

Died.

ANDERSON.—At East Orange, N. J., on Sunday morning, Jan. 20, Kate E., beloved wife of Edward F. Anderson. Funeral services on Tuesday, Jan. 22, from her late residence, 17 North Arlington Av., at 3 P. M.

BAUM.—On Jan. 21, Bertha, devoted daughter of Pauline and the late Simon Baum, sister of Benjamin, Isaac, Silas, Alexander, Jesse, and Hattie Cohn. Funeral Wednesday, Jan. 23, 11 A. M., from Rodef Sholem Chapel, Union Field. Services Wednesday, 8:30 P. M., at 124 West 96th St.

BELL.—Suddenly, Jan. 19, 1918, Hal Bell. Funeral from his late residence, 2,201 University Av., Tuesday, Jan. 22, at 11 A. M.

BELL.—On Jan. 21, 1918, George H. Bell, aged 59 years. Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 1,012 Garden St., Hoboken, N. J., on Wednesday, Jan. 23, at 8 P. M. Kindly omit flowers.

BERNSTEIN.—Mrs. Addie W., 87 Hamilton Place, in her 62d year. Funeral private. Interment at Kingston, N. Y. Kingston papers please copy.

BILLINGS.—SONS OF THE REVOLUTION in the State of New York.—With regret announcement is made of the death on Jan. 18 of Elmer Mandeville Billings, a member of this society.

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BROWN.—Suddenly, on Sunday, Jan. 20, 1918, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Alfred W. Bodsworth, 230 West 76th St., Mary Louisa, wife of the late George F. Brown. Funeral services at St. Stephen's Church, 69th St., near Broadway, on Wednesday, Jan. 23, at 10 A. M. Interment at convenience of family.

BRUSH.—At her home, the Grosvenor, 115 Montague St., Brooklyn, on Monday, Jan. 21, Julia Maria Brush, daughter of the late Franklin and Julia Brush, in her 80th year. Funeral services from the Church of the Holy Trinity, corner Montague and Clinton Sts., Brooklyn, Wednesday, Jan. 23, at 2 o'clock P. M.

CABARET.—Jan. 19, of pneumonia, Luther O. Cabaret, in his 56th year. Funeral services Tuesday, Jan. 22, at 2 P. M., at his late residence, 44 Hamilton Av., New Rochelle.

CAMPBELL.—Margaret. Services, THE FUNERAL CHURCH, Broadway, 66th St., (Frank Campbell's,) Tuesday, 3 P. M.

CLEMINSHAW.—In Troy, Jan. 20, 1918, Charles Cleminshaw, aged 84 years. Friends are invited to attend funeral services at the residence, 165 2d St., Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. Burial at Oakwood.

CODY.—John J., 100 Lewis Av., Elmhurst, L. I., of pneumonia, Jan. 20, 1918. Funeral services at residence 8:30 P. M. Jan. 22, 1918.

COGAN.—On Monday, Jan. 21, 1918, Matthew Coogan, beloved husband of Teresa and father of the Rev. John J. Coogan, Police Chaplain. Funeral Thursday, Jan. 24, at 10 o'clock from his late residence, 111th St. and Westchester, Bronx. Solemn requiem mass St. Raymond's Church. Interment Calvary. Automobile cortege.

DAVIDSON.—At her home, 279 East 163d St., Jan. 20, Johanna, aged 66 years, beloved wife of John Davidson. Funeral services Tuesday evening, 8 o'clock.

DERRENBACHER.—On Jan. 20, 1918, at his home, 1st Horton Av., New Rochelle, N. Y., Frank Derrenbacher, aged 47 years, beloved husband of Lillian Merk Derrenbacher. Funeral service at the Church of the Holy Family, Mayflower Av., New Rochelle, Wednesday, at 10 A. M.

ELY.—In New York, suddenly, of pleuropneumonia, Etta, daughter of the late William Newell Ely and Anna Gorham Hale of Stratford, Conn. Funeral services at Church of Ascension, on Thursday, Jan. 24, at 3:15 P. M. 1:03 train from New York. Boston papers please copy.

FARNHAM.—On Sunday, Jan. 20, 1918, at 861 Jefferson Av., Mary Leland, beloved wife of Frank W. Farnham. Funeral services at St. Stephen's Protestant Episcopal Church, Jefferson and Patchen Avs., Brooklyn, on Tuesday, Jan. 22, at 12 M.

FEAREY.—On Jan. 8, Bertha Louise Kettel, wife of Frederick Tyroe Fearey, at Hotel del Coronado, Cal. Services the Peddie Memorial Church., Newark, N. J., Thursday, P. M. Interment at convenience of family.

FERRIS.—Monday, Jan. 21, 1918, at his home, Brewster, N. Y., William Andrew, only son of Samuel Ferris and Mary Ester St. John Ferris. Services at his late residence, Thursday, Jan. 24, at 1:30 P. M. Interment at convenience of family.

FLYNN.—Suddenly, on Jan. 19, Charles J. Flynn, husband of Flora Flynn. Friends can view remains from 6 to 8 P. M. on Tuesday at 14 East 39th St. Interment at Marlboro, Mass.

FOSDICK.—At Jamaica, N. Y. on Jan. 20, 1918, Lewis L. Fosdick, in the 81st year of his age. Funeral private.

GARVAN.—At her home, 903 Park Av., on Jan. 21, Patricia, daughter of Francis Patrick and Mabel Brady Garvan. Funeral Wednesday, 10 A. M., at St. Agnes's Church, 43d St., between Lexington and 3d Avs., at 10:30 A. M. Wednesday, Jan. 23. Interment private.

GERSON.—Yetta, beloved wife of the late Abraham and devoted mother of Joseph, Henry, Jacob, and Sol. Relatives, friends, and members of Flora Frauen Verein are invited to attend funeral at the residence of her son, Henry Gerson, 559 West 156th St., Wednesday, Jan. 23, at 10 A. M.

GERSON.—Members, seat holders, and sisterhood of Temple Anshe Chesed are requested to attend the funeral of Yetta, mother of our member, Jack Gerson, on Wednesday, 10 A. M., at 559 West 156th St. MEYER GOODFRIEND, President.

ISAAC D. WITT, Hon. Secretary.

GILES.—At Cold Spring-on-Hudson, on Saturday, Jan. 19, Dr. Richard Giles, in his 57th year. Funeral at St. Mary's-in-the-Highlands on Wednesday, Jan. 23, on arrival of train leaving New York 9:30.

HANNAHS.—On Saturday, Jan. 19, 1918, after a very short illness, Truman Kilborne Hannahs, in his 65th year. Funeral services at his late home, 114 Park Av., East Orange, on Tuesday, Jan. 22, at 2 o'clock. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

HANNEGAN.—John J., beloved husband of Catherine Hannegan, (nee Fitzgerald,) late President of Master Plumbers' Association of City of New York, also a member of the New York Athletic Club, at 5:20 A. M., Sunday, in the Misericordia Hospital. High mass at 10 A. M. Wednesday, Our Lady of Mercy Church, Marion Av., near Fordham Road; from his late residence, 2,650 Bainbridge Av., Bronx.

HAYDOCK.—John. Services, THE FUNERAL CHURCH, 1,970 Broadway, (Campbell's,) Tuesday, 11 A. M., auspices Actors' Fund.

HIRSHLER.—On Jan. 21, Jerome J., of the United States Navy, at Newport, R. I., in his 20th year, of pneumonia, beloved and only son of Louis and Carrie Hirshler of 500 West 111th St. Funeral services at Sam Rothschild's Harlem Funeral Chapel, 208 Lenox Av., Wednesday, Jan. 23, at 10:30 A. M. Philadelphia papers please copy.

IRISH.—Saturday, Jan. 19, Mrs. Anna Hurty, beloved wife of William E. Irish. Services at the late residence, 350 West 172d St., at 8 P. M., Tuesday. Interment at the convenience of family. Philadelphia, Penn., on Wednesday. Philadelphia and Camden (N. J.) papers please copy.

KEMPNER.—Louis, on Jan. 21, beloved husband of Grace A. Kempner and father of Alexander S. and David Dudley, at his residence, 251 West 92d St., in his 61st year. Funeral services at his home, Thursday, Jan. 24, at 10 A. M. Boston papers please copy.

KNIGHT.—Emma R. Pembleton, suddenly, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George C. Bladworth, 314 West 94th St., New York City, Jan. 21, 1918. Funeral service at Flora Centre, Thursday, Jan. 24, at 2:30 P. M.

KOHN.—Albert, M. D., beloved husband of Ernestine Lambert, at the age of 48. Services Wednesday morning, 9:30 at his late residence, 122 East 58th. Interment private. It is kindly requested that no flowers be sent.

KOHN.—Phoenix W. and O. Aid Society officers and members are requested to attend funeral of our late brother, Dr. Albert Kohn, from his late residence, 122 East 58th St., Wednesday, Jan. 23, 9:30 A. M. late residence. LOVINGER, President.

W. L. WEILL, Secretary.

KROOSS.—On Jan. 20, 1918, at his home, 40 Guion Place, New Rochelle, N. Y., Christopher J. Krooss, in his 46th year, beloved husband of Catherine Krooss. Funeral services at the Elks' Club, 23 Bank St., New Rochelle, N. Y., on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery, 11 A. M. Wednesday.

LACKMAN.—Fred, On Monday, Jan. 21, after a long illness, at his home, 807 Halsey St., Brooklyn. Notice of funeral hereafter.

LEWIS.—Jennette, (nee Marks,) devoted wife of Reuben Lewis and beloved mother of Ettie Naftal, Gertrude Noble, Fannie, Louis, Ada, and Newman Lewis, suddenly, Sunday, Jan. 20. Funeral Tuesday, Jan. 22, 10:30 A. M., from her late residence, 615 West 162d St.

LINDE.—On Jan. 21, Aaron Linde, aged 52. Funeral from his late residence, 1,420 Stebbins Av., Bronx, on Tuesday, Jan. 22, at 11 A. M.

MORRIS.—Jan. 21, Archibald, at Bristol, Penn., in his 45th year.

Died

The Woman Voter

Primaries, Conventions and Their Effect on Popular Representation—Failure of the Direct Primary, and Why it Has Not Proved to Be the Reform Intended.

TWENTY-FIRST ARTICLE—THE DIRECT PRIMARY EXPLAINED TO HER.

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"So you think it's nothing against a man that he should want public office," said Tom.

"That's what I said," replied the Politician.

"Then you don't think the office ought to seek the man?" pursued Tom.

"Whether it ought to or not, it doesn't," said the Politician, "and therefore I object to the pretense that it does, because it is a sneaking humbug. However, we've seen about the last of it in politics. It lasted for more than a century, but the new primary laws have put an end to it."

"How?" inquired Anna.

"By making candidates not only say they want it, but prove it by working hard to get it. In the old days a candidate would cover himself with Washington's mantle and try to be as much like that statesman as he could. He would be coy, and the most you could tease him to say was that he was 'in the hands of his friends.' It was thought somehow immoral for a man to say that he wanted the office and was working like a beaver to get it.

"But nowadays a candidate is mighty soon forced out of 'the hands of his friends' and forced to use both of his own, and use them as fists. Under the primary law a man who wants a nomination has got to have a petition filed, and in many States he has got to declare himself a candidate or he can't get on the primary ballot; and if his name isn't printed on the primary ballot it won't be voted for in the primaries, and hence he can't get the nomination. When a man has declared himself a candidate and has got up a petition for his nomination, there isn't much room left for the imitation of Washington."

"But, whether he himself takes the management of getting signatures to his petition or not, he has to make a campaign for the nomination, just as he would for the election, and that brings him into the open. Under the direct primary system a primary is in all respects like an election, except that it is held for the nomination of candidates. The people themselves vote for the candidates whom they want nominated. So nowadays a primary is preceded by a campaign for the nomination, in which those individuals who want it have to show why they should be nominated, just as candidates for an election have always had to show why they should be elected. They go on the stump before a primary just as they do before an election. There isn't any room left for humbug."

"But that only applies to State and city offices, doesn't it?" asked the College Woman. "It doesn't apply to the Presidency, does it?"

"So far as forcing a Presidential candidate into the open is concerned, it does," said the Politician. "In a great many States there are primaries for the Presidential nomination. The voters in each of those States go to the primaries and record their preferences on that subject, and the delegates to the convention are supposed to be bound by that expression of the voters' preference As in other primaries, no names go on the printed ballot except by petition. So, you see, a Presidential candidate has either got to give up all hope of getting the votes of those States in the convention or else go after them at the primaries and try to get them, just as he would if he were a candidate for Governor.

"This state of things has been in force only at the last two elections. Not all the States have Presidential primaries, but enough have them to make it necessary to drop all shenanigan and go after their votes in earnest. The movement to have the people vote at primaries for their Presidential preferences had gained such headway in 1912 that I remember it as a common saying when I went to the convention that year, 'Well, we are seeing our last convention. By 1916 the people will be nominating the Presidential candidates directly.'

"But they didn't, and you don't hear that sort of talk any more. The States that had Presidential primaries still have them, but the movement hasn't spread. One reason is that to win a large number of States for any candidate calls for such a vast expenditure of money in a popular primary, even if only legitimate expenses are incurred, that no man has a chance who hasn't got wealth at his command, either directly or indirectly. Another is that in the last campaign it was discovered that a number of the voters regarded the primary as a joke and voted for comic candidates. This had such a disquieting effect that at the Republican convention there was a distinct disposition on the part of delegates to disregard the instructions they had received, nominally from the people, at the preference primaries; or at any rate, not to treat those instructions as if they were the laws of the Medes and Persians. In other words, the slant now is away from direct nomination of Presidential candidates rather than toward it."

"So the direct primary has encouraged the use of money in electioneering?" inquired Tom.

"It has doubled the use of money. You have already heard how expensive an election campaign is, and how much money has to be spent, even if nothing dishonest is done. Well, the introduction of the direct primary for State offices has simply resulted in making two campaigns where only one existed before. That is, there was formerly only a campaign for the election. That campaign must still be fought, but there is now, in addition, a campaign for the nomination. The candidates used to have to go before the people and fight for election; they still do, but now they must also go before the people and fight for the nomination. There used to be campaign committees to engineer the candidacy of these nominees; there still are, but in addition there are unofficial campaign committees to engineer the campaign for their nomination.

"These campaigns cost money, and the campaign for a nomination may cost more than the campaign for an election. If it is a corruptly managed campaign, then money will be spent not only in bribing voters in the election, but in bribing them in the primaries. It sometimes happens that the contest for the nomination is more bitterly fought than the one for the election, and in that case the campaign for the nomination will cost more. The direct primary system has not made it impossible for a man of moderate means to run for office, but it has made it impossible for him to run unless there is money back of him."

"Still, the bosses can't manipulate the nominations under the direct primary system, can they?" asked Anna.

"Assuredly they can, if the voters let them. In this city, for instance, the designating committees of the parties name candidates for office, and they are put on the ballot. These candidates are the candidates of the bosses, and when the voter goes to the primaries he finds their names there as the official candidates. Not only that, but the bosses can deal with each other, and agree between themselves to swap designations."

"But I thought you said that the voters had it in their power to defeat bossism under the primary law."

"So they have, but they seldom exercise it. In the first place, most voters don't go to the primaries; in the second place, those who do rarely bother to run an opposition ticket to the regular one put up by the designating committees. They take it out in staying away from the primaries and then cursing the bosses. In the third place, when an opposition ticket is run it is frequently no better than the one put up by the bosses; and the reason for that is that in such cases the voters themselves aren't any better than the bosses. The boss in all districts is a boss because he represents the average of the people he leads. When the average improves a little the bad boss is fired and a better boss replaces him, one who represents that batter average."

"At any rate," said the College Woman, "the direct primary has given the people more scope and lessened the power of the bosses, hasn't it?"

"It has given the people more scope, but it has only potentially lessened the power of the bosses. The people now have it in their power as they never had before to make their own nominations, and they can't plead that it is no use for them to take an active part in politics, or that the cards are stacked against them beforehand. Still, the brutal fact confronts us that they won't use the power that has been thus given them; and since they won't use it, the practical effect of the direct primary system has actually been to increase the power of the bosses."

"Increase it!" exclaimed the College Woman. "I can understand how it could leave their power where it was before, but not how it could increase it."

"Very simply. By abolishing the conventions and leaving all the practical power of nomination in the hands of the designating committees, who, wherever there is a boss, are the instruments of the boss."

"I thought the conventions used to be run by the bosses," protested the College Woman.

"Not so absolutely as the designating committees. A convention always had it in its power to override the bosses, and very often did it. Besides, there were limits to the boss's power, even in a boss-ruled convention. He couldn't do absolutely as he liked, because there were other leaders there, and he had to consult with them. He was seldom so absolute as to be able to defy them. And this was not only true of State conventions, but of city and county conventions, and even of smaller ones. Even in a Congressional convention—a convention held to nominate a Congress candidate—the boss of that Congress district had to reckon with the leader of each ward. And you must never forget that each of these leaders really represented the wishes of the people back of him, his home people, whether they were the people of a city or the people of a ward.

"Now, however, the boss designates his candidates and they are put on the primary ballot. The voter has the opportunity of overthrowing those candidates, which he did not have under the old convention system; but as he won't go to the primaries, the net result is that the boss's dictatorship is made more absolute. All the old hindrances of the convention system are brushed aside.

"And these hindrances were real ones. A convention was supposed to be a roughly representative gathering of the people. Boss rule made that supposition a subject for irony; but it was actually more representative of the people than the primaries sometimes are. You may say that a bossism which was mitigated only by the power of sub-bosses could not possibly represent the people in any sense, but it could. It could, because the sub-bosses did not exercise their restraining influence on the boss solely for their own desires. They had to take the people into account.

"For instance, suppose the State boss to be determined to force an unfit nomination for Governor. The sub-bosses of, we will say, Monroe County and Westchester County go to him and protest. Is it because they are idealists in politics, reformers; is it because their consciences are shocked by this proposal? No; but they say, 'We know our people, and we know, that if you make this unfit nomination there will be a revolt, and we can't carry Monroe and Westchester in November. That means that our whole county ticket will go down to defeat with the candidate for Governor, and we shall lose all the county offices. Therefore, we insist that you do not make this dangerous nomination, but that instead you shall nominate a fit and proper man, who incidentally will enable us to carry our local ticket to victory.' And the boss has to yield and throw aside his unfit candidate."

"Can't they go to him and deliver the same warning now, under the primary system?" objected the College Woman.

"Ah, but under the convention system they could enforce it right there on the spot by defeating his candidate in the convention," returned the Politician, "and that would have meant the end of his rule as boss."

"You surely don't mean that the convention was ideally representative of the people?" said the Lawyer.

"Oh, no, I don't mean that it or anything else ever was or will be," replied the Politician. "I mean only that it was roughly representative. We forget that the convention itself, in its origin, was a reform, a reform in the direction of giving the people a larger share in making nominations. Before conventions originated, nominations were made by party caucuses. A caucus was a secret meeting of the Congressmen of a party, if it were a national nomination, or of the legislators, if it were a State one. These politicians picked out the candidate, and the people had nothing to say about it.

"The system was partly representative, since these Congressmen and legislators were elected by the people, but it was far from being fully representative. The people derided it and called it 'King Caucus.' So the convention system was devised, whereby the people in each party directly elect delegates who meet in a convention and nominate candidates.

"Now, in an effort to extend popular control of nominations, we have abolished the convention—except in national matters—and given the people the power to make nominations directly. The people won't do it. So what is the result? Why, that the nominations are made by designating committees. And what kind of system is that? Why, it is the caucus system over again under another name. We have come back to King Caucus; the wheel has gone round again, and we are back where we were in 1824. The only difference is that King Caucus was more representative of the people, for the Congressmen and legislators in the caucus were elected, while the designating committees are appointed by the organization—that is, by the boss."

"But we still have conventions to nominate candidates for President," said Anna. "How do they do it?"

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GOMPERS DENOUNCES ACTS OF BOLSHEVIKI

But, He Tells Labor Editors, Those Who Fail to Aid in War Here Are Worse.

Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, again pledged the support of labor to the cause of the Allies, at a meeting of the National Labor Publicity Organization in the City Hall at Newark yesterday, and denounced the Bolsheviki. He said that "residents in America," who tried to impede the American trade union movement, or failed to aid in the war, were "worse than the Bolsheviki."

"The Bolsheviki have caused Russia to crawl to the boots of the Kaiser to beg mercy from him," said Mr. Gompers. "They have opened peace negotiations with the Germans, and those negotiations would have led to the enslavement of the Russian people if they had ended in a peace pact upon the conditions demanded by the Germans. It would have meant an iron-handed tryanny worse than that of any Czar. We want a peace that will crown the Allies with victory and restore democracy, honor, and honesty to all parts of the earth."

Mr. Gompers said he had no plans to offer yet upon the demobilization of the armies after the war, throwing millions back into civil life, but he said that labor, capital, and the Government would have to begin to lay plans soon for the events and conditions that would follow the signing of peace. The 200 members of the organization, who are editors of labor papers in New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, received Mr. Gompers's denunciation of the Bolsheviki with great enthusiasm.

NOT ENGAGED TO PERSHING.

EL PASO, Texas, Jan. 21.—Miss Anita Patton, of San Marino, Cal., today denied reports that she was engaged to General John J. Pershing, commander of the American forces in France.

"There is nothing to it," Miss Patton said at the Union Station today when asked for a statement for The Associated Press, regarding the report published in a Paris newspaper recently.

TO SEE UPTON TROOPS HERE

General Johnson Plans to Send Selected Units for Parade.

Special to The New York Times.

CAMP UPTON, L. I., Jan. 21.—The troops of this cantonment may soon be seen on review in New York City. General Johnson, the division commander, will on Friday commence a series of regimental inspections that will be followed by reviews of the brigades and within a short time, if the railroad facilities permit, selected units will be taken to the city for public survey.

An order was issued today directing all commissioned and noncommissioned officers to attend the bomb, bayonet, and gas schools. Heretofore but one commissioned officer, usually a Lieutenant, has attended the classes, and has acted as instructor for the other officers. A few of the noncoms of each company have been attending the schools.

Camp Upton is to be made a thing of beauty. A prize of $100 will be given to the regiment and $50 to the company that has the best policed and beautified area in the cantonment by May 15 "unless the division moves earlier."

ORGANIZING SOLDIERS' KIN.

Congress of Mothers Announces a Plan to Strengthen Patriotism.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The National Congress of Mothers has undertaken to enroll all women in the country who have given sons or husbands to the military service with a view to strengthening patriotism and creating bonds of sympathy. Men who have motherless sons in the service will be admitted to membership.

It is announced tonight that the fee will be 50 cents and the funds will be used in carrying on the work of the local branches, including the purchasing of wool and other materials for soldiers whose relatives have not the means of supplying their needs.

New Rochelle Hearing Postponed.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Jan. 21.—The hearing on the revocation of Governor Whitman's order closing the saloons of New Rochelle has been postponed until Jan. 30 at noon. It was to have been held the day before.

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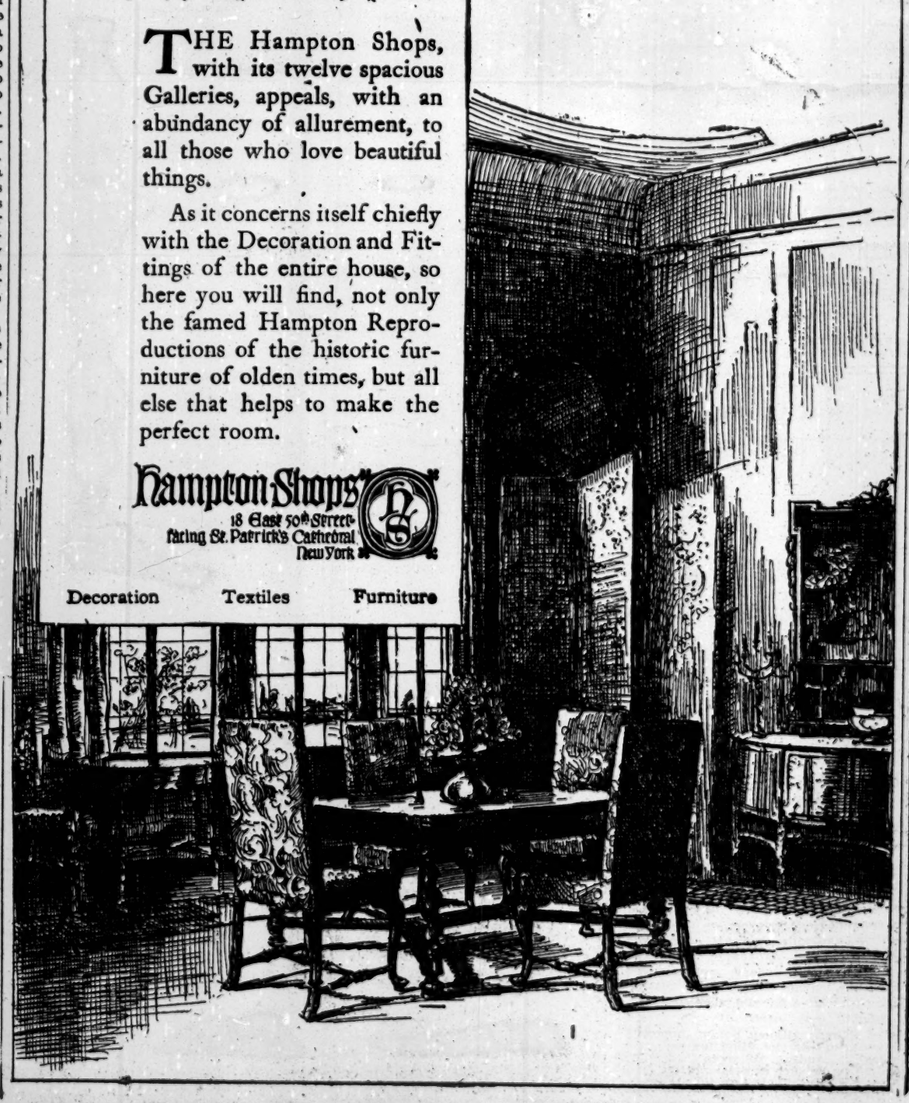

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TYRO AND GULL COLLIDE AND INGENUE AND DAISY DIVIDE HONORS IN RACES ON ICE

ICE YACHTS CRASH IN THRILLING RACE

R. S. Johnson Knocked Unconscious When Gull Collides with Tyro at Red Bank.

INGENUE WINS CUP RACE

Leads Daisy Over Line by 1:35 Over 15-Mile Course in Contest for Powers Trophy.

Special to The New York Times.

RED BANK, N. J., Jan. 21.—In a collision between the Tyro and Gull while racing in a ten-mile handicap event today, Robert S. Johnson was thrown from his Gull and struck on the head by a piece of the ripped cockpit and rendered unconscious on the ice. He was later revived, but was unable to continue the race. H. Norman Hoyt, who was tending sheet, was struck by the bowsprit of the Tyro and catapulted through the sheet ropes, narrowly escaping injury. Floyd Brady and J. B. Rue, Jr., skippers of the Tyro, were unhurt, but withdrew their boat.

George W. Bray's Daisy led a field of eight yachts, and again showed speed in a hard northwest blow by trimming John Gibbons's Ingenue, sailed by Reuben and Ensley White, by forty seconds. Only a few seconds separated the Ingenue, the Red Rover, handled by William White, and T. Irving Brown's Say When, sailed by Mart Haviland and Jack Conover, which finished fourth. These four were scratch boats.

More accidents thrilled the crowds in the second race, a fifteen-mile event for the W. Harold Powers Cup, in which the Ingenue turned tables on the Daisy by trimming her 1 minute 85 seconds at the finish. Say When was third, 1 minute 27 seconds behind the Daisy, and the Tyro finished fourth. The Ingenue made the fifteen miles in 38:06.

In the first round John Gibbons's Red Rover carried away her mast when the headstay parted. The mast fell in front of John White, who was tending sheet for his brother, William White, tillerman, and broke the cockpit rail. The disabled craft was towed in by another iceboat. In the same round, after Edward Fielder's Drub, sailed by the owner, with Harry Allaire, sheetman, had gotten off to a flying start, was forced to withdraw by the jamming of the jig tackle. She will start again in tomorrow afternoon's trial and Powers Cup race.

The summary:

15-MILE POWERS CUP RACE.

Start—3:35:35. Name of Boat.	Fin. Time.	Elapsed Time.
Ingenue	4:18:58	88:08
Daisy	4:15:13	38:38
Say When	4:16:80	40:53
Tyro	4:18:13	42:40
Drub	Disabled and withdrawn	
Red Rover	Disabled and withdrawn	

The first of a series for the best two out of three 20-mile races for the third class championship pennant of North America, between the North Shrewsbury Ice Yacht Club defenders and the Independent Club challengers, is called for Thursday at 2:30. The former champion Imp, owned by I. T. Straus, and the Blanche will represent the challenging club while the Ingenue and either the Daisy or Drub will sail as defenders. The performance of these two yachts in the trial cup races tomorrow and Wednesday will determine which of the boats is picked by the Regatta Committee for the classic of the season.

X L N C OUTSAILS RIVALS.

Gains Fourth Leg on O'Brien Cup in Long Branch Event.

Special to The New York Times.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., Jan. 21.—A record crowd at the Long Branch Ice Boat and Yacht Club course this afternoon saw William A. Staven's yacht X L N C win another leg of the O'Brien championship cup race from the Jack Frost by the close margin of eight seconds, with the Princeton third, more than two minutes away. The Princeton raced under full sail, while the winner and Jack Frost sailed with one reef. The X L N C finished the first five miles nine seconds ahead of the Jack Frost, and at the end of the ten miles had increased her lead to a minute and four seconds.

When the fifth stake was reached Jack Frost was gaining. The race home was exciting, the winner crossing the home stake in 40:59. The Jack Frost's time for the fifteen miles was 41:07 and the Princeton's 43:16.

Today's race gave the X L N C four legs on the O'Brien championship cup, with two victories each for the Atlanta and Princeton and one for Captain Walter Content's Blanche. The yacht winning the race the greatest number of times to the close of the season takes the trophy.

TAYLOR VICTOR ON SKATES.

Wins Mile Handicap at St. Nicholas Rink from Large Field.

W. M. Taylor of the New York Athletic Club captured first place in the one-mile handicap which was the chief of three skating races held at St. Nicholas Rink last night. He competed in the half mile event as well but was robbed of a chance to compete in the final when he fell in the first heat just as he was making the last turn. Up to then he was racing easily and seemed assured of second place, which was all that was required to qualify. The event went to Irving Reiner of the Tremont Skating Club. The novice race was won by G. G. Ettinger, unattached.

It was expected that Joseph Moore, the 16-year-old boy skater who defeated Taylor not long ago, would give the veteran another close race. Moore, however, failed to place in the half-mile event, which was the only event in which he entered.

The summaries:

Half-mile Handicap.—First Heat—Won by Irving Reimer, Tremont Skating Club, (20 yards); Richard Distler, Riverside Skating Club, (20 yards,) second; M. McLaughlin, Tremont Skating Club, (40 yards,) third. Time—1:34.

Second Heat—Won by George Lahrman, unattached, (60 yards); W. Burkholder, Riverside Skating Club, (10 yards,) second; J. Kieran, unattached, (50 yards,) third. Time—1:34 1-5.

Final Heat—Won by Irving Reimer; J. Kieran, second; M. McLaughlin, third. Time—1:33 3-5.

Half-Mile Novice.—Won by G. D. Ettinger, unattached; L. Boyd, unattached, second; L. Freidlander, unattached, third. Time—1:31 2-5.

One-Mile Handicap.—Won by W. M. Taylor, W. Y. A. C., scratch; Irving Reimer, Tremont Skating Club, (25 yards,) second; J. Kieran, unattached, (90 yards,) third. Time—3:19 4-5.

CROSS-COUNTRY DATES SET.

Long-Distance Races Again to be Decided in Spring.

The Metropolitan Association of the A. A. U. has stuck by its guns in the matter of holding the cross-country championships in the Spring instead of in the Fall, when the national title races are held. Dates for the coming championships were announced yesterday, the junior race being set for April 6 and the senior for April 13.

Both events will run over the Van Cortlandt course. E. P. Carr and F. Niles, the respective Chairmen of the junior and senior committees, selected the dates with a view of giving the men engaged an opportunity to run in the Boston Marathon, which will be decided on April 19. The dates as approved by the Registration Committee follow: Feb. 12, Hollywood Inn A. A., modified marathon; 23, Clark House A. A., five-mile handicap; March 3, Morningside A. C., five-mile handicap; 10, Yorkville A. A., five-mile handicap; 20, intersettlement five-mile championship; 31, Brooklyn A. A., four-mile novice; April 6, junior metropolitan championship; 13, senior metropolitan championship; 28, Sectional Athletic League, five-mile handicap.

POLICE RAID BOXING SHOW.

Two Participants Arrested at Olympic A. C. and Bouts Stopped.

The Olympic Athletic Club on Manhattan Street was raided by the police last night and two of the boxers and the referee, Benjamin Tamber, and the timekeeper, Julius Lesser, were arrested and taken to the West 125th Street Station, where they were awaiting bail at a late hour last night. The fighters who were arrested were Terry Davis and Harry Hoblin, two east side boys. All were charged with violation of the law which prohibits boxing exhibitions.

The police were headed by Captain Gargan and Lieutenant McAniff. The West 125th Street Station is just across the street from the Olympic A. C., and after the show had started there the police came across and demanded admission from Eddie McMahon, President of the club, saying that they were looking for slackers. They watched two rounds of the bout between Davis and Hoblin, and as the third round started Captain Gargan ordered his men into the ring and stopped the fight. The arrests were then made and the house cleared.

NEWCOMB LEADS AT TRAPS.

Breaks 193 Out of 200 in Shoot at Pinehurst.

Special to The New York Times.

PINEHURST, N. C., Jan. 21.—The midwinter trap shooting tournament opened at Pinehurst today. Eighty-five gunners competed. Charles H. Newcomb of Philadelphia led at the traps by a margin of two birds, missing only seven and breaking 193. Newcomb was followed by C. L. Richards of Livingston, Wis., with 191; C. P. Martin, New York, 189, and R. D. Morgan, Washington, 185.

The best scores made among the professionals were 190 for W. H. Huff of Macon and 186 for Frank H. Huseman of Rochester. The best unbroken run during the regular event was a 58 for R. D. Morgan, but W. H. Yules came along later with an uninterrupted string of 85, in the course of a small supplementary contest, which he won with a remarkable fine 98.

EASY FOR MONTCLAIR FIVE.

Overwhelms Stevens School Quintet by Score of 52 to 14.

Showing marked improvement over the play in its two previous games of the season the Montclair Academy basket ball quintet yesterday defeated the Stevens School five in a one-sided game on the former's court at Montclair, N. J., by the score of 52 to 14. The victorious five completely outplayed and outclassed its opponents in every department of the game. All of Stevens School's points came in the opening half, which ended with the Montclair aggregation in the lead by 30 to 14. The individual star of the game was Stauffer, Montclair's right forward, who caged seven field goals and eight from foul.

The lineup:

Montclair, (52.)	Position.	Stevens, (14.)
Stauffer	R. F.	Brown
Bobbeink	L. F.	Hotchkiss
White	C.	Phidesder
Chapman	R. G.	Ziesette
Buck	L. G.	Persbacker

Goals from field—Stauffer, (7,) Bobbeink, (2,) White, (4,) Buck, (2,) Hotchkiss, (3,) Phidesder, Ziesette. Goals from fouls—Stauffer, (8.) Hotchkiss, (4.) Substitutions—Montclair: Dickson for Buck; Caldwell for Bobbeink. Stevens: Emerson for Brown. Referee—Mr. Moller, Springfield Y. M. C. A. College. Time of periods—20 and 18 minutes.

RACE MEET DATES FIXED.

Program of 31 Days Will Begin at Hot Springs on Feb. 28.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Jan. 21.—Thirty-one days of racing for Hot Springs, beginning on Feb. 28, is the schedule announced by the Business Men's League under the auspices of which the sport is conducted here. Already there are a number of stables quartered at the Oaklawn course, and the horsese are receiving preliminiary workouts for the 1918 season. In the two-year-old division there are some of the best bred youngsters of France and England here under the handling of George Leigh, and these will be ready for all engagements after April 1.

The matter of transportation facilities from New Orleans is not expected to be a problem, as assurances have been given that the stables can be moved. No effort will be made to secure special trains, and special cars will be tabooed, but the horsemen will get consideration, and the stock will be moved as promptly as the conditions permit. In the event there is a further demand for cars, the horsemen will use the Mississippi River steamboat route up to Memphis and then make the short haul from Memphis here on the trains.

The purchase of the Essex Park property by the Celia interests eliminates all contention over the matter of racing dates, and all the racing this year will be conducted over the Oaklawn course.

MISS CASSEL ASKS TO BE REINSTATED

Woman Tennis Player Seeks Amateur Rights Denied Her More Than a Year Ago.

Miss Clare Cassel, one of the most proficient women tennis players in the country, who was debarred from competition as an amateur in the latter part of the Summer of 1916 by the United States National Lawn Tennis Association because she had received pay for giving lessons in figure skating, has applied for reinstatement. Action upon her case may be taken by the delegates to the annual meeting of the U. S. N. L. T. A. in February. Miss Cassel has notified a number of the members of the Executive Committee that she will seek a rehearing of her case. Among those who have received such word are Julian S. Myrick, Acting President of the association; Clinton L. Childs of Pittsburgh, A. L. Hoskins of Philadelphia, who was vice President of the tennis association at the time Miss Cassel was barred; Edwin F. Torrey, Secretary of the association and Dr. Sumner Hardy, the sectional delegate representing the Pacific Coast.

Miss Cassel's case has been one which aroused a deal of controversy in tennis circles. For the most part the women players favor her reinstatement. To this end there was a petition circulated at the last women's indoor championships at the Seventh Regiment Armory, asking that Miss Cassel be allowed to compete as an amateur. The disbarment of Miss Cassel was rather sensational. At the time she was on the point of competing in the New Jersey State championship for women on the courts of the Montclair Athletic Club when a telephone message from one of the Executive Committee informed her that she was not eligible, as she had jeopardized her amateur standing.

Later President Adee, when the matter was taken up with him, stated that as a rule had been violated he could not interfere, still he is said to have promised to use his good offices to bring about a reinstatement in its proper time. Through the instrumentality of President Adee, a resolution was placed on the record of the meeting of the Executive Committee of February, 1917. This resolution stated that the committee would consider the reinstatement of Miss Cassel as an amateur with full privileges provided evidence was brought before it at the completion of a year that she had not in any way violated the amateur rule for that period.

When questioned as to her seeking reinstatement and her expectation of success Miss Cassel said: "A year ago President Adee promised me that if I would refrain from any act that might be a violation of the amateur rule he would personally work to have me reinstated at the completion of the twelve months. A letter that President Adee wrote to me on the subject I have returned to Mr. Myrick, now the acting President. A. L. Hoskins, the former Vice President of the association, and Craig Biddle, one of the Executive Committee, did all that they could in my behalf.

"Now the end of the year of penance or probation is about at an end. I have done my part, for, despite opportunities to do otherwise, I have been scrupulously careful to avoid anything that might appear to infringe my amateurism. Depending upon the word of the gentlemen of the Executive Committee it is only fair that they should favorably consider my application for reinstatement. So confident am I of the justice of my cause that Miss Marie Wagner and myself plan to compete in the doubles as partners in the national indoor championship tournament for women in March."

MANY PIN TEAMS NAMED.

Total of 700 Teams Expected to Compete in Annual Tourney.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 21.—More than 300 out-of-town teams have already been entered for the annual international bowling tournament of the American Bowling Congress which will be held here from Feb. 16 to March 10, and indications are that nearly 200 more entries will be received before the list is closed. With the 200 local teams that will compete it is expected that a total of 700 will be reached.

Manager Christy Mathewson of the Reds has returned from Camp Sheridan, at Montgomery, Ala., where he conducted a checker tournament, and now is busy getting his major league bowling stars in form for their meetings with big leaguers from other cities during the tournament. Heinie Groh, Hal Chase, Tom Griffith, Lee Magee, and Matty are putting in hours every day improving their pin shooting in this city, while Eddie Roush, the National League's leading slugger, is getting in shape at his Indiana home. It is expected that teams from Detroit, Cleveland, St. Louis, Chicago, and Pittsburgh will be pitted against Matty's aggregation.

TIE ON LINKS AT BELLEAIR.

Sealy and Gardner Each Have Card of 77 In Qualifying Round.

Special to The New York Times.

BELLEAIR, Fla., Jan. 21.—Amateur golfers were strung out all over the Belleair links today playing the qualifying round of the annual January tournament. They came from far and wide with a keen relish for the tournament season, and as there were more than a hundred entries, four sixteens were listed for prizes instead of the original three. They teed up after breakfast and were drifting home until dark. They played in a drizzle in the afternoon. Florida weather this Winter is very uncertain.

There was a tie for the gold medal for the best score of the qualifying round. Two Easterners, W. Parker Seely of Bridgeport and Dr. C. H. Gardner of Providence, made 77 each. I. S. Robeson of Rochester, a veteran of Southern links, had a 78. The fair greens are in such smooth shape that the course is several strokes lower than last year, the experts say, and the average of play was better than a year ago.

The scores of the first and second sixteens:

FIRST SIXTEEN.—W. Parker Seely, Bridgeport, 77; Dr. C. H. Gardner, Providence, 77; I. S. Robeson, Rochester, 78; R. T. Rolfe, Chicago, 81; Thomas Morrison, Oakmont, 82; Andrew J. Carty, Pine Valley, N. J., 84; R. E. Edwards, Great Neck, L. I., 84; Clarence Hobart, Clearwater, 85; D. A. Loring, Jr., Locust Valley, N. Y., 86; F. E. Jones, Memphis, 87; John Dunlap, Philadelphia, 87; Walter H. Dilks, Philadelphia, 88; J. R. Hanley, Chicago, 88; F. H. Beach, Saginaw, 89; F. A. Ashley, Boston, 89; Burton Preston, Mansfield, Ohio, 90; H. C. Gilbert, Indianapolis, 90.

SECOND SIXTEEN.—E. S. Wilkinson, North Adams, Mass., 91; John B. Brennan, Wolkston, 92; W. H. Nevins, Springfield, Mass., 92; N. H. Baston, Toronto, 93; W. L. Allen, Philadelphia, 93; B. F. Porter, Bellevair, 93; R. S. Porter, Baltusrol, 93; Charles W. Tenny, Springfield, Mass., 94; H. L. Judd, New Britain, Conn., 95; G. K. Morsow, Great Neck, L. I., 95; G. L. Broadshaw, Chicago, 96; F. B. McFeeley, Greensburg, 96; J. W. Greene, Jersey City, 96; W. L. Einstein, New York, 97; F. F. Stone, Rockford, Ill., 97; F. J. Booth, Clearwater, 97; Lyman Beecher, Hillsboro, Ohio, 97; S. Fish, Chicago, 97; E. P. Swight, Clearwater, 97.

There are several ties in the foregoing, and the draw will eliminate enough to bring the two divisions to the required sixteens.

STOUT NOT TO MEET RAY.

Chicago Two-Mile Leader May Not Run in Millrose Games.

Joe Stout, the University of Chicago runner, who promised to provide the most formidable opposition to Joie Ray at the Millrose A. A. games tomorrow, may not be a competitor in the Rodman Wanamaker one and a half mile special. The holder of the two-mile conference record had been going great guns in training when he was suddenly called for duty at the Aviation Camp at Fort Wayne. The last word from the West was that efforts were being made to arrange a furlough for Stout so that he could reach New York in time for the games. In case Stout is unable to make the trip East Alonzo Stagg, the coach of the University of Chicago, will send on George Otis to take the place of Stout in the race against Ray and others. Otis, though little known in the East, has a high standing in the Middle West, where he has won a championship at two miles and finished well up when Eddie Fall ran his 4:15 mile.

Ray is taking the event seriously as he hopes to continue for half a mile further than the distance of the race to hang up a new record for two miles that will be better than the outdoor figures made by Alfred Shrubb. Ray has been in the East since Thursday and has been putting the finishing touch to his training at Princeton under the direction of John F. Mahan, the Illinois A. C. coach. Mahan said yesterday that Ray is at the top of his form, and that on Wednesday New Yorkers are likely to witness the greatest exhibition of long-distance running to be seen this year.

Late entries have brought the individual entry for the games in the Garden up to nearly 900. The army camps and naval stations have entered liberally, among those just received being the team from Camp Devens at Ayer, Mass. The Devens relay team will be chosen from Lieutenants Teschner, Minot, and Barron, former members of the Harvard record breaking relay team; F. Burns, Boston A. A.; Hector Auray, New Haven A. A., and C. A. Rice, University of Maine. Bill Meanix of Harvard and P. A. Warren, the Lehigh star, will represent the camps in the hurdle race.

McCourt and Moore Divide Honors.

Special to The New York Times.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 21.—George Moore and Charles McCourt divided honors in two games of the Interstate Three-Cushion Billiard League tonight. In the first game McCourt defeated Moore by a score of 50 to 39. Moore reversed the order of things in the second game, defeating McCourt, 50 to 33.

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MOTOR BOAT SHOW CLOSED FOR A DAY

Fuel Order Forces Exhibitors to Shut Doors—Concrete Boat Nears Metropolis.

The lid has been clamped on the Motor Boat Show in the Grand Central Palace, and it will be closed today in order to comply with the fuel conservation order. It was not until late last night that the Fuel Administrator ruled that the show was an amusement and not an educational exhibition, as claimed by the National Association of Engine and Boat Manufacturers. There was no disposition to disobey the order on the part of the motor boat people. In fact they went out of their way yesterday to observe it by shutting off all power except that necessary to run the elevator. This gave an outdoor appearance to the show and found the visitors clambering over the boats clad in overcoats and wraps.

The day of rest will not be unwelcome, as it will provide an opportunity for placing new exhibits in the building before the doors open at 10 o'clock tomorrow to run continuously until the end of the week. This will give a chance to the much advertised concrete boat to catch up with the procession. It was expected that the novelty in motor boats would arrive yesterday, but the craft again was delayed on its Western passage. About the same time that it was determined to close the show word was received that the concrete boat had reached Newburgh and was going strong on its journey to the metropolis.

Owing to the closing of so many business places there was a big crowd at the show with more than a sprinkling of men in uniform, the sailors especially taking great interest in the type of boat used for submarine chasing. John J. Amory, President of the National Association of Engine and Boat Manufacturers, surprised his associates by visiting the show. He has been ill since last October, but kept his record clean by attending, making the fourteenth show at which he has been present.

The navy exhibit, which include a mine and a torpedo, was closely inspected, and there was considerable interest in the educational exhibit in the mezzanine gallery. The Hudson River Power Squadron's free nautical school also was well patronized, and scores of enlisted men gave in their names for enrollment in the classes which are held at the High School of Commerce on West Sixty-fifth Street, every evening.

BILLIARD TOURNEY HALTED.

Class C Competitors Not to Resume Play Until Tomorrow.

George T. Moon, Jr., President of the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players, announced a further postponement of the matches in the National Class C 18.2 balkline championship tournament yesterday. As the most recent ruling of the United States Fuel Administrator named Tuesday of each week as the closing day for amusements, which includes billiard rooms, the order makes it impossible to continue the event today, as originally planned.

As the referee of the championship, Moon is at work upon a schedule which will result in bringing out the winner of the championship within two weeks, allowing for the curtailment of playing days.

Tendler Gets Popular Verdict.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 21.—Lew Tendler of Philadelphia won the popular decision over Frankie Callahan of Brooklyn, in their six-round bout here tonight. Callahan had the better of the first two rounds, but after that the local lightweight was the aggressor and won on points.

Herman Not to Meet Ertle.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 21.—Pete Herman of New Orleans, world's bantamweight champion, tonight canceled the ten-round no-decision bout in which he was to meet Johnny Ertle of St. Paul here Feb. 4. He said he was acting on advice of an oculist.

BASEBALL TAX SETTLED.

Major League Representatives Confer with Revenue Commissioner.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—An arrangement for the payment of the war tax on baseball admissions was made today at a conference of major league representatives with Daniel C. Roper, Commissioner Internal Revenue. Mr. Roper expressed gratification at the proffered cooperation and "patriotic spirit" of the baseball men.

August Herrmann, Chairman of the National Commission, headed the delegation, which also included John Heydler, Secretary of the National League; Harry Frazee of the Boston Americans, Walter Haagood of the Boston Nationals, John B. Foster of the New York Nationals, and Benjamin S. Minor and Clark Griffith of the Washington Americans.

TIGERS MAY USE DONOVAN.

Former Yankee Manager May Replace Burke as Coach.

DETROIT, Jan. 21.—It is understood that the Detroit American League Baseball Club will do little scouting for minor league players this season. Another rumor persists that Jimmy Burke, who coached the pitchers last year, will not be back, and that Wild Bill Donovan, former manager of the New York Americans, will be signed to replace Burke. Donovan was Detroit's star pitcher for several years.

CHAJES WINS TWO MORE.

State Chess Champion Defeats Malowan and Field in Club Play.

Defeating both W. Malowan and O. W. Field in the annual championship of the Manhattan Chess Club, Oscar Chajes, the New York State champion, yesterday added two more victories to his string and now leads the field with a total of 4 to 0. In the other games, Ladd won from Ettlinger, Northrop scored against Hallgarten and Field worsted Ladd. The standing to date follows:

Player.	W.	L.	Player.	W.	L.
Chajes	4	0	Ladd	1	3
Northrup	2	0	Malowan	½	2½
Ettlinger	2	2	Hallgarten	½	2½
Field	2	3	Hicks	0	0

HUGGINS MAY GET PRATT FOR YANKS

Delay in New York Manager's Arrival at St. Louis Puts Off Deal for a Day.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 21.—That Derrill Pratt, second baseman of the local American League baseball team, would soon be a member of the New York Yankees, was the report current here today. Pratt was to have been the central figure in a trade to be made today, but the non-arrival of Miller Huggins, the new manager of the Yankees, forced the deal to go over one day. Cleveland and Washington owners also are in the field for Pratt, and the owners of the Browns declare that the player will go to one of the three clubs, which means that Pratt's stay in St. Louis is ended.

The Yankees have made a determined bid for Pratt for several weeks, and it seems certain that the New York club has the inside track. Philip Ball, President of the Browns, has refused to consider any deal involving Pratt until the suit for slander filed by Pratt and John Lavan has been settled in court. However, it seems that both parties to the suit are willing to settle it out of court, and, following this, Pratt will be traded. President Ball has said he wants players and not cash for Pratt, and it is sure that the Yankees have the players needed to help out the Browns.

Service Sevens to Meet Here.

Cornelius Fellowes of the St. Nicholas Ice Rink has arranged a hockey match between the Camp Upton seven and the team of the Newport Naval Reserves, to be played at the Santa Claus rink on Saturday next. Peabody and Kalleck, two former stars of the Amateur Hockey League of New York are the organizers and the backbone of the Camp Upton team, while Tom Howard, Jr., and his brother, Jack, are the sponsors of the sailor seven from Rhode Island.

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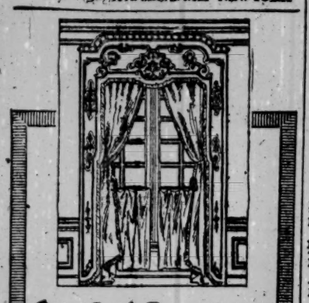

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BUSINESS WORLD

Buyers' Wants

50 Cents per agate line each insertion.

APPAREL Wanted.—Jobs or sample lines; cash; dresses, coats, suits, any quantity. 4th floor, 43 West 27th. Farragut 5154.

APPAREL Wanted.—Cash better grade suits, coats, waists, dresses. National. Franklin 2412.

ASTRACHANS Wanted. — Black. Madison Square 7345.

BROADCLOTHS AND FLANNELS Wanted. Golf red, gray, Copenhagen. Rashkind & Soloff, 244 5th Av.

COATS AND SUITS Wanted.—Prominent exclusive jobber looking at ladies', misses', juniors', and stouts' coats; also ladies' and misses' suits. Every day, 9 to 1, 1,140 Broadway, 10th floor.

COATS AND SUITS Wanted.—Jobber placing quantity orders on cloths and silks. Call 4 to 5, rear elevator, fourth floor, 151 West 26th.

COATS, Suits Wanted.—Prominent jobber placing stock orders, medium and better grades. Call mornings, 4th floor, 9 West 32d.

COATS Wanted.—Jobber looking at better grade junior coats. 1,533 Broadway, 36th St. entrance, 3d floor.

COATS., Broadcloth. Wanted. 4th floor, Room 405, 1,181 Broadway.

COTTON GOODS Wanted.—Stafford's Dogshead drills; open to buy 1,000 pieces. H. Wolfson, 1 Orchard. Dry Goods Exchange, 17 Pearl St. Broad 1439.

CREPE DE CHINE Wanted.—We are open for crepe de chine, 40 inch, all colors, 72 pick; submit samples Tuesday afternoon. Loeb & Schoenfeld, 27 West 23d.

DRESSES Wanted.—Serge and satins; open for quantity for cash. Madison Square 6050.

DRESSES Wanted.—Jobber placing orders on snappy styles. 38 West 32d. Room 1506.

GEORGETTE Wanted.—Open for large quantity, all colors, for cash. E. & H. Waist Co., Inc., 71 West 23d.

JAP SILK AND JAP SATIN Wanted.—Will buy any quantity. Telephone Gramercy 2371.

MILL ENDS Wanted.—Towelling remnants, scrap pieces, 5,000 lbs. or more; mail samples. Becker, Amsterdam, N. Y.

POMPONS Wanted.—American pompons, kerseys, 15020, 18052, 0859, 11050, 544, 18009, 18046, 18045; spot cash. Madison Square 8121.

POMPOMS Wanted.—American, all shades; cash. Shapiro & Davis, Chelsea 8789.

POPLINS Wanted.—Open for a large quantity in high colors. Call with samples. Miltex Cloak and Suit Co., Inc., 22 West 32d.

POPLINS AND SERGES Wanted.—Wool poplin, pekin and copen; wool serges, taupe or medium grade; cash. Farragut 5245.

POPLIN Wanted.—9610, 6077, gray, tan, Peking, rose, and Burgundy. Chelsea 9724.

POPLIN Wanted.—For cash; 90610, black and navy. Rosengarten, 11 East 31st.

READY-TO-WEAR Wanted.—We want lots of discontinued styles and sample lines of Spring merchandise. United Mail Order House, 1,239 Broadway.

SATINS Wanted.—Washable; small or large lots; submit samples, with quality, quantity, delivery, and cash price. Overseas Export Co., 142 5th Av.

SERGE DRESSES Wanted.—Large quantity for immediate shipment, close-out prices; open today; one flight up. Nathan Nathanson & Co., 148 West 23d St. 1326 Chelsea.

SILVERTONE Wanted.—Open for Pekin, tan, and gray. Call with samples. Branson Bros., 48 West 25th. Farragut 6264.

STRAW BRAIDS Wanted.—Can use 5 bales C-6½ M.-M. Milan, natural or colors. Max Mayer, Inc., Madison Square 1541.

SUITS AND COATS Wanted.—We are looking at snappy taffeta and cloth suits and coats; placing stock orders. Rothstein & Nelson, 129 West 29th St.

VELOURS, Kerseys Wanted. — American, all shades. Louis Cohen, 1,182 Broadway. Madison Square 6686.

VELOURS AND KERSEY Wanted.—18046, 544, 15020, 11050, also poplins 9610, all colors. 6018 Chelsea.

VELOURS Wanted.—K 544, 18046, 11050, all colors. Farragut 2357.

WASH DRESSES Wanted.—Of the better kind, by a leading manufacturer; must furnish own samples; will place immediate quantity orders. Address "W. D.," 218 Times Downtown.

WASH DRESSES Wanted for jobber. Moss Brothers, 1,133 Broadway.

WAISTS Wanted.—Open for crepe de chine waists, newest styles. Call, with samples, 27 West 24th. Room 403.

WOOL VELOURS Wanted. — And velour checks, all shades. Farragut 2849.

Offerings to Buyers

50 Cents per agate line each insertion.

BROADCLOTHS.—White and Kelly green; quantity cheap. Republic Novelty Works, 244 5th Av.

COATS.—Wonderful values, juniors', misses', and ladies' of the better kind, for Spring $5.50-$22.50; showroom first floor. I. Novick, 40 West 28th St.

COATS. — Fur-trimmed and plain velours; handsome lot; to close out; Spring line ready; showroom open, third floor. J. P. Slater & Co., 22 West 32d.

COATS.—Spring line ready; our showrooms are open 7 days in the week; call and look over my specialties. Neumann, 15 West 20th, first floor.

COATS.—Infants' and children's; bargain in assortments of 200 high-grade coats; sizes 2 to 6. A. Bender & Son, 27 West 24th St.

COATS, SUITS.—Spring line ready; exceptionally snappy styles; showroom open, 1st floor. Talbot Co., 114-116 West 27th.

COATS.—Juniors', misses' wool, for Spring; exceptional values. 1,133 Broadway, Room 1123.

DRESSES, Serges, and Silk, from $6.75 up, for immediate delivery; our place is open for business; elevator service. Princess Dress, 19 West 24th.

DRESSES. — Silks, serges, jerseys, evening dresses; immediate delivery; open during the shutdown. Glockner, 40 West 27th, third floor.

DRESSES, serge, to close; large quantity for immediate shipment; open today. Nathan Nathan, Son & Co., 148 West 23d St.

DRESSES.—Large assortment serge and silk dresses on hand for immediate delivery. Vassar Dress Co., 39 West 32d St.

DRESSES.—Silk, serge, and party dresses to close out at reductions. King & Applebaum, 39 West 32d St.

DRESSES.—French serges, silks; immediate delivery; reasonable prices. Ruby, 116 West 29th.

DRESS FASTNERS.—At sacrifice; going out of business. Phone 1143 Riverside.

FABRICS.—Jersey knit cotton napped; 5,000 lbs. monthly; black, slate, tan, navy, white; for children's clothing, gloves, skirts, other purposes. Mayflower, Mad. Sq. 9350.

GEORGETTES—At $1.12½, all colors, Lyonette silks. 25 West 38d, Greeley 37.

HOSIERY.—2,000 dozen silk and lisle to close out. Raymond Hosiery Co., 263 5th Av.

KERSEYS.—Stater 2192X; black Julliards, 110. Madison Square 8121.

KNITTING YARNS.—Woolen worsted; khakis, grays; prompt shipments. Becker, Mad. Sq. 9380.

POPLINS.—Amoskeag 8158, 50 pieces; navy, $2; King Biels, 20 pieces; navy, black, $2; Saxonia, 15 pieces. Levensohn & Satz, 1,170 Broadway; after Feb. 1, 251 4th Av.

SATINS.—Piece dyed, and satin liberty, close out; all colors. F 122 Times.

SERGES.—U. S. 838, 150 pieces; American 0936, 25 pieces; Andrews 1464, 100 pieces; Botany 809, 20 pieces; prices are right. Levensohn & Satz, 1,170 Broadway. Mad. Sq. 1295; after Feb. 1, 251 4th Av.

SERGES.—Gera, 10715, Denmore, 0360 and 9310, American D294, Arlington 99, 106, Onskuk-565. Madison Square 8121.

SERGE.—809 Botany, 3 tan, 1 rookie, 4 Nile, 4 black, 18 navy; 56-inch fine black broadcloth. Madison Square 2907.

SERGES.—104 at $1.35, 6234 at $1.95, 54289 at $1.70 net; all navies. Orchard 8345.

SERGES.—American 0936, U. S. 838, Amoskeag 7301. Stuyvesant 3240.

SERGES.—Botany 11433, 780, and Gera 9056. Farragut 5166.

SKIRTS.—All-wool velour checks and plaids; $2.75; assorted sizes and colors. A. G. Bahn, 9 West 20th.

SUITS.—Misses' wonderful chicken models. Lee Hexter, 7 East 16th.

SWEATER YARNS.—Black, blue, green, yellow wool spun wool merino; small job lots as jobs. Becker, Mad. Sq. 9380.

TAFFETAS, colored; Georgettes, satins, crepe de chines, washable satins; immediate delivery. H. Letzler & Co., 1 East 28th St. Madison Square 3313-3314.

TAFFETAS, wash satins, 36 inch, 40 inch, for immediate delivery. Sigmund Heyman, 257 4th Av. Telephone Gramercy 1240.

VELOURS.—We have 75 pieces dark shades, lightweight velours, to close out, $2.05. Levensohn & Satz, Mad. Sq. 1295, 1,170 Broadway; after Feb. 1, 251 4th Av.

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WAISTS.—Crepe de chine, embroidered satin stripe tub silks; 10 styles in stock at $3 per dozen, for immediate delivery. Belmore Waist Co., 27 West 24th St.

WASH SUITS.—Boys', middy, Tommy Tucker, and Norfolk; latest styles; jobs; special prices. Bachrack, 584 Broadway. Spring 3265.

WOOL.—Jersey, all leading shades, for delivery. Brunswick Woolen Mills, 334 4th Av. Madison Square 7745.

YARN. — Hand-knitting wool and worsted; immediate delivery. Mishell, 1,170 Broadway. Madison Square 1520.

YARNS.—Hand knitting wool and worsted, also sock yarns; immediate delivery. Bond, 16 East 22d St.

Contracts Offered

DRESSES Wanted.—Contractors, attention! We are open for silk and serge dresses of better kind; placing large orders; bring samples all day. 110 Madison Av., 1st floor.

DRESSES Wanted.—Contractors on silk dresses; orders given out. 35 West 31st, 8th floor.

Help Wanted.

CLERK—To take care of credit information and do city investigating; state age, experience, references, and salary expected. P 126 Times.

OFFICE BOY wanted for wholesale house. Apply in own handwriting, P 134 Times.

SALESMEN wanted for Pacific Coast on $16.50 and $24 cotton waists; only waist men need apply; commission. Lew L. Gluck, 45 West 27th.

COMMERCIAL PAPER.

Yesterday 5¼@5% per cent. for the best names
Saturday 5¼@5% " " " "
These quotations are for six months' paper.

Are Showing White Hats Here.

White hats are being shown prominently in the millinery department of one of the big local stores, due to the demand experienced for them within the last week. They are almost bare of trimmings. In another store very pretty combinations of navy blue lisere with either red tafffet or grosgrain ribbon are seen. They are offered in all the popular shapes and are trimmed with cherries, berries, and small flowers.

Postpone Fur Auction One Day.

The opening of the annual Winter sale of the New York Fur Auction Sales Corporation, which was to have begun in the Masonic Hall here on Monday next, has been postponed until the next day, as a result of the Monday closing order of the Fuel Administrator. Sessions will be held twice daily up to and including Saturday, Feb. 2, but it is expected that no evening selling will be necessary. Show day, which was to have been tomorrow, has been put over to Thursday, due to a delay in the printing and binding of the catalogues resulting from the Monday closing.

May Not Transship to France.

The British Ambassador has informed the Department of State, according to a Commerce Report, that in view of the demands for tonnage for carrying foodstuffs and other urgently needed commodities to the United Kingdom, it is necessary for the British authorities to refuse to permit transshipment in Great Britain of goods shipped from the United States and destined to France. This prohibition holds irrespective of the nationality of the carrying vessel.

Some Dress Business Was Done.

During the morning yesterday a fair business was done by those dress manufacturers who used hotel suites, though activity slacked off somewhat in the afternoon. Buyers seeking dresses for Spring and Summer are said to be showing a decided preference for garments of silk gingham, foulard, foulard combinations, and taffetas. Some houses found georgette the most in demand. But, whatever the preference may be in individual cases, orders are said to be for very liberal quantities, and there seems to be an active demand for merchandise from retailers in many sections.

Now They Want Woolen Dresses.

The fallacy of making up and selling garments weeks or months in advance of the time the weather is right for them to be worn is shown by the present unfilled demand there is in this market for woolen dresses for immediate delivery. While buyers found no trouble in getting in this market last August all the dresses of this kind that were wanted, they are having a hard time of it now. The manufacturers themselves tell of the current demand, which they attribute to the continued cold weather. Serge and wool jersey dresses are said to be wanted most, one manufacturer asserting yesterday that he could sell 10,000 for immediate shipment if he had them.

Not So Bad as Expected.

A number of manufacturers who established temporary showrooms in the various hotels of the city for the five-day shutdown period have found that it is not as difficult to sell merchandise under the new conditions as under the old. Questioned as to whether or not he found the absence of the usual booths in regular showrooms a disadvantage, one manufacturer said: "There is no doubt that buyers feel the presence of others, and I think some of them were just a little bit stage struck at first. They hesitated to criticise as freely as they do under ordinary circumstances, and the arrangement of terms, sometimes with others within hearing, is probably, from the buyers' standpoint, less satisfactory. But thus far we have found this to be a very practical solution of the Fuel Administration's edict."

Their Action Justified.

Cloak and suit manufacturers who had moved their showrooms into hotels in their vicinity were considerably disgruntled yesterday morning to learn that many of their competitors had not gone to this expense, but were keeping their regular showrooms open as usual. Later on, however, many of these buildings were visited by the authorities and forced to discontinue even the restricted service which they had been maintaining. There ensued much grinding of teeth among manufacturers who had not arranged for hotel accommodations, and, among those who did, a collective sigh of relief that their action was entirely justified.

ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

ALEXANDRIA—Simon Bros.; S. Simon, ready-to-wear; 1,150 Broadway.
ATHENS, Ga.—W. T. Collins & Co.; W. T. Collins, millinery, ready-to-wear; 38 W. 32d; Gregorian.
AUSTIN—Max Snaman Co.; Miss F. Melasky, ready-to-wear; McAlpin.
BALTIMORE—Polan, Katz & Co.; G. Katz, umbrella material; 1,370 Broadway.
BALTIMORE—Strouse & Bros.; E. Strouse, piece goods; 212 5th Av.
BALTIMORE—Hanneman-Jess Co.; L. Sapinsky, Spring coats, suits; 116 West 32d.
BALTIMORE, Md.—Julius Gutman & Co.; E. J. Gutman, suits, coats; McAlpin.
BALTIMORE—M. A. Gunderheimer, furnishing goods; Woodward.
BALTIMORE—Hochschild, Kohn & Co.; H. J. Rohr, millinery; 220 5th Av.
BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Fowler, Dick & Walker; G. Gardner, ribbons, laces; J. McKendrick, domestics; 212 5th Av.
BONHAM, Texas—Spivy Dry Goods Co.; B. A. Spivy, dry goods; Imperial.
BOSTON—Jacobs & Co.; J. Griffith, ready-to-wear; 1,150 Broadway.
BOSTON—Jordan-Marsh Co.; T. O'Donnell, tailored suits; 432 4th Av.
BOSTON—A. Shuman & Co.; W. F. Maher, boys' clothing; Prince George.
BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; Mrs. Palmer, basement jobs waists, sweaters, millinery; Miss Rice, basement jobs women's, children's hosiery, knit underwear, boys' furnishings; 200 5th Av.
BUFFALO—J. N. Adam & Co.; Miss M. Lenserhuber, jewelry; 2 West 37th.
BUFFALO—Wm. Hengerer Co.; G. Debus, jewelry; 3 West 37th.
CARLSBAD, N. M.—Joyce Print Co.; Mr. Thiel, gen'l mdse.; 1,150 B'way.
CHICAGO — Siegel, Cooper & Co.; S. T. Palay, domestics, white goods, linens, wash goods, blankets; 404 4th Av.
CHICAGO—Chicago Mail Order Co.; M. L. Kahn, mdse. mgr.; M. C. Goldman, coats, suits; J. A. Pecham, children's dresses, muslin, flannel underwear; 368 6th Av.
CHICAGO—Montgomery Ward Co.; J. L. Mitchell, talking machines, musical goods; J. E. Russell, cutlery, silverware, clocks, novelties; 309 6th Av.
CHICAGO—Siegel-Cooper Co.; Miss E. Noonan, waists; Miss Francis, jewelry; 401 4th Av.
CINCINNATI—Leon Marks Co.; Miss Rappaport, waists; 364 5th Av.
CINCINNATI—Irwin Cloak Co.; Miss M. Isaacs, Miss S. Perry, dresses; 404 4th Av.
CLEVELAND, Ohio—The Bailey Co.; Mr. Meisel, Spring coats, jobs fur coats; 72 Madison Av.
COLUMBUS, Ohio—Morehouse-Martens Co.; P. Springer, domestics, men's furnishing goods; 1,170 Broadway.
COLUMBUS, Ohio—M. J. Federman; Mr. Melancon, Spring coats, suits; 72 Madison Av.
COLUMBUS, Ohio—F. & R. Lazarus & Co.; M. H. Simmons, women's gloves, hosiery; 220 5th Av.
COLUMBUS, Ohio—F. & R. Lazarus Co.; W. H. Knox, furnishing goods; Miss M. Le Crone, ladies' knit underwear; Mrs. E. Wood, jewelry, leather goods; 220 5th Av.; Collingwood.
COLUMBUS, Ohio—Columbus Dry Goods Co.; Miss M. Hempstead, laces, handkerchiefs, trimmings; 1,150 Broadway; Collingwood.
COLUMBUS, Ohio—The Fashion; W. L. Payne, coats, suits; Collingwood.
COLUMBUS, Ohio—Union Co.; L. Lieberman, ready-to-wear; Miss E. Kerstetter, waists, dresses; J. W. Bauer, men's, boys' clothing; 116 West 32d.
COLUMBUS, Miss.—S. Loeb & Bro.; Mr. Loeb, gen'l mdse.; 353 4th Av.
DALLAS, Texas—Sanger Brothers; J. H. Poythress, hosiery, gloves, furnishing goods; 19 East 24th.
DALLAS, Texas—W. A. Green & Co.; H. B. Oden, rugs; 1,150 B'way; Breslin.
DAYTON, Ohio—L. Trexler Co.; R. A. Staley, rugs; 116 West 32d; Woodward.
DENVER—Denver D. G. Co.; A. F. Pohlman, housefurn. goods; A. E. Parsons, shoes; 25 East 26th.
DES MOINES, Iowa — Harris-Emery Co.; Mrs. J. Lacey, muslin underwear, infants' wear; Miss H. Coulson, ladies' wear 1,150 B'way.
DES MOINES, Iowa — Harris-Emery Co.; Mrs. D. H. Smith, milliner; 351 4th Av.
DES MOINES—"Carley's"; Mrs. Carley, coats, suits; 15 E. 26th.
DES MOINES—Younker Bros.; N. L. Cassidy, jobs Winter coats; 303 5th Av.
DETROIT—Cadillac Garment Co.; J. J. Conboy, wash goods; J. G. Maher, children's dresses; Aberdeen.
EASTON, Penn.—Wm. Laubach & Sons; C. M. Laubach, coats, suits, waists; G. B. Laubach, dry goods; 41 Union Square.
EUREKA, Cal.—Daly Bros.; J. F. Daly, genl. mdse.; 116 West 32d.
FALL RIVER, Mass.—E. S. Brown Co.; A. F. Malley, women's coats, suits, dresses, waists, skirts, children's wear; Knickerbocker.
FINDLAY, Ohio—C. D. Levy, Spring coats, suits; 72 Madison Av.
FOND DU LAC, Wis.—Hill Bros. D. G. Co.; J. M. Hill, ready-to-wear, millinery, silks; Hargrave.
GREENVILLE, Ill.—Weise & Bradford; G. V. Weise, general merchandise; Collingwood.
HARRISBURG — Kaufman's Underselling Store; J. E. Gutman, children's house dresses; C. Hurst, representing F. V. Zug, wash goods, housefurnishing goods; 72 Madison Av.
HARRISBURG, Penn.—Ladies' Bazaar; M. Schondorf, J. B. Zimmerman, coats, suits, skirts; Mrs. Schondorf, dresses, blouses; McAlpin.
HOLYOKE, Mass.—McAuslan & Wakelin Co.; W. W. Wakelin, Miss McDonald, ladies' wear; Latham.
HOUSTON, Texas—The Alkemeyer Co.; E. Alkemeyer, ladies' garments; S. Meehan, millinery; 39 West 32d.
HOUSTON, Texas—Levy Bros. D. G. Co.; M. E. Gimbel, millinery; L. L. Harris, hosiery, laces, gloves, jewelry; 1,150 Broadway.
HOUSTON—W. C. Munn Co.; W. C. Munn, gen'l mdse.; C. H. Reis, ready-to-wear; 1,150 B'way.
HUTCHINSON, Kan.—Pegues-Wright D. G. Co.; C. G. Rumpel, cloaks, suits, dresses; Great Northern.
HUTCHINSON, Kan.—Peques & Wright; A. B. Rumpel, women's ready-to-wear; Great Northern.
JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—Covington Co.; E. E. Hall, dry goods; 60 Worth.
JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—Kohn-Furchgott Co.; A. E. Wilkins, housefurn. goods; 353 4th Av.; Navarre.
JACKSONVILLE—Kohn-Furchgott Co.; J. Parsons, blankets, linens, wash goods, domestics; Miss H. Faust, millinery; A. E. Welkens, carpets, upholstery; Mr. Webb silk dress goods, linings, trimmings; 353 4th Av.
KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Maxwell-McClure-Fitts Dry Goods Co.; J. C. Fitts, domestics, dress goods, silks; 43 Leonard.
KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Berkson Bros.; Mrs. R. Frank, waists; Mrs. M. Fairbanks, skirts; 364 5th Av.
KANSAS CITY—G. Bernheimer Bros. & Co.; L. J. Schiff, coats, suits; Mrs. H. Minturn, ladies' dresses; 7 West 22d.
KNOXVILLE—Anderson, Dulin, Varnell Co.; J. Ramsey, ready-to-wear; 1,150 B'way.
KOKOMO, Ind.—Thalman & Levi; A. L. Thalman, furnishing goods; J. Frankenthaler, coats, suits; 44 E. 23d.
LANCASTER, Penn.—Hoger & Bro.; Mrs. Burbank, corsets, muslin underwear; Mrs. Kruder, ladies' wear; 404 4th Av.; Breslin.
LANCASTER, Penn.—Watt & Shand; E. G. Eby, notions; 432 4th Av.
LANCASTER, Penn.—Hager & Bro.; E. E. Snyder, clothing; 404 4th Av.
LIMA, Ohio—Glover & Winters Co.; C. L. Dalzell, Mrs. C. L. Dalzell, wholesale, retail millinery; Prince George.
LIMA, Ohio—Ladies' Outfitting Co.; M. Michael, Mrs. M. Michael, women's ready-to-wear; Prince George.
LIMA, Ohio—Leiser Co.; L. Schnitzer, coats, suits; 1,133 B'way.
LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—M. M. Cohn Co.; A. H. Allen, dress goods, silks; 1,150 Broadway.
LITTLE ROCK—J. D. Back & Bro.; W. A. Marx, ready-to-wear; 353 4th Av.
LOS ANGELES—J. W. Robinson Co.; E. Bishopric, men's, boys' clothing; 111 5th Av.; Laurelton.
LOS ANGELES—Wood's Shirt Waist Stores; E. L. Woods, shirt waists; Flanders.
LOS ANGELES—Coulter D. G. Co.; I. F. Champion, coats, suits, infants' wear; 1,170 Broadway; Gregorian.
LOUISVILLE, Ky.—Kaufmann-Strauss Co.; C. P. Walmsley, coats, suits, waists; Miss C. Allen, waists; 220 5th Av.
LOWELL, Mass.—Gilday Gown Shop; Miss G. G. Gilday, gowns, blouses; Knickerbocker.
MARSHALL, Texas—J. Weissman & Co.; J. C. Jarrard, dry goods; 1,150 B'way; Grand.
MILWAUKEE—Landauer & Co.; S. J. Eisen, linens, woolens, ready-to-wear; 56 Worth.
MOBILE, Ala.—L. Hammell D. G. Co.; S. Presburg, muslin underwear, infants' wear, ready-to-wear; 1,150 Broadway; Gregorian.
MONTGOMERY, Ala.—Nachman & Meertief; J. Nachman, white goods, dress goods, coats, suits, waists; M. R. Nachman, silks; 1,150 B'way.
MONTGOMERY, Ala.—A. Nachman, ready-to-wear, millinery; M. Marcus, ready-to-wear; Collingwood.
MONTGOMERY, Ala.— Cobb's Ready-to-Wear Co.; C. C. Cobb, ready-to-wear, hosiery, neckwear; 1,170 Broadway; Herald Square.
NEW ALBANY, Ind.—J. Sapinsky & Sons; J. Sapinsky, ready-to-wear; 116 West 32d.
NEW HAVEN—Ed. Malley Co.; T. J. Morrissy, silks, dress goods, linings; 404 4th Av.
NEW ORLEANS—D. H. Holmes Co.; Miss L. Magrevy, gloves, knit underwear; 19 East 26th.
NEW ORLEANS—Schwartz Bros.; S. Schwartz, ready-to-wear; 303 5th Av.
NEWPORT NEWS, Ky.—Mrs. Nachman, ladies' ready-to-wear; Grand.
NORWICH, Conn.—Reid & Hughes Co.; J. W. Bussey, wash goods; 404 4th Av.; Continental.
OKLAHOMA CITY—Field Cloak Co.; Miss Wood, ready-to-wear; 1,170 B'way.
PADUCAH, Ky.—J. A. Rudy & Sons; J. H. Rudy, ready-to-wear; Miss E. Golden, waists; 1,150 Broadway.
PEORIA, Ill.—Peoria D. G. Co.; L. Federman, Spring coats, suits; 72 Madison Av.
PHILADELPHIA—Hugo Fischer & Co.; H. Fischer, piece goods; Aberdeen.
PHILADELPHIA—M. Gross & Co.; M. Gross, women's suitings; Breslin.
PHILADELPHIA—John Wanamaker; R. C. Cope, linens; Broadway and 10th.
PHILADELPHIA—L. Harris & Co.; L. Harris, piece goods; Aberdeen.
PHILADELPHIA—Greenebaum Bros. & Co.; S. Greenebaum, cotton piece goods; 200 5th Av.
PHILADELPHIA—C. S. Tanguay Co.; C. S. Tanguay, waists, dresses; Imperial.
PHILADELPHIA—Strawbridge & Clothier; Miss A. Mulvey, misses', children's coats, suits; Miss E. A. Burch, representing; 280 5th Av.
PHILADELPHIA—A. Graff & Co.; A. F. Lippincott, rugs; Imperial.
PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann Dept. Store; L. Schwartz, underwear; A. C. Moffat, leather goods; Miss Geventer, waists, basement; 1,261 B'way.
PITTSBURGH—Rosenbaum Co.; J. Winters, dresses; Miss M. McCrohan, waists; S. Simon, leather goods, stationery, notions, jewelry; 116 West 32d.
PITTSBURGH — Lewin - Neiman Co.; Mrs. Flatow, jobs silk, serge dresses; 470 4th Av.
PITTSBURGH—Kaufmann & Baer Co.; Mr. Katzman, jobs dresses, Winter coats; 404 4th Av.
PITTSBURGH—Frank & Seder; A. J. Seder, ready-to-wear; 364 5th Av.
PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Gladding D. G. Co.; Mrs. E. F. Warner, millinery; 200 5th Av.
PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Shepard Co.; J. B. Chenetta, dress goods; 220 5th Av.
PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Callender, McAuslan & Troup Co.; W. H. Hatch, ready-to-wear; 230 5th Av.
PUEBLO, Col.—Crews-Beggs D. G. Co.; W. D. Young, dress goods, silks, ladies' gloves; C. D. Woesner, dry goods; 230 5th Av.
PUEBLO, Col.—Pueblo Store Co.; A. C. Jones, coats, suits, waists; P. D. Paxton, dress goods, silks; 220 5th Av.; Latham.
READING, Penn.—Wide Awake Shirt Co.; S. R. Lurie, shirtings; Herald Square.
RICHMOND, Va.—The Leader Co.; L. B. Hyslop, linens, blankets; 1,150 Broadway.
RICHMOND, Va.—The Weisenberger Co.; Mr. Weisenberger, Spring coats, Spring suits; Mr. Heinlich, housefurnishings; 72 Madison Av.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Duffy-Powers Co.; L. J. Wohl, jobs coats, dresses; 470 4th Av.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Sibley, Lindsay & Curr Co.; G. C. Kemp, gloves; 432 4th Av.; Latham.
ROSWELL, N. M.—Joyce-Pruit Co.; M. Gambel, gen'l mdse.; 1,150 B'way.
SACRAMENTO, Cal.—Weinstock, Lubin & Co.; E. Ready, shoes; 220 5th Av.; Latham.
SALEM, Mass.—Almy, Bigelow & Washburn; A. F. Ellis, house furn. goods, toys; 230 5th Av.; Latham.
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah—Walker Brothers Dry Goods Co.; T. F. Cahill, basement department; 353 4th Av.; Latham.
SALT LAKE CITY—Zion Cooperative Mercantile Institution; W. A. Needham, dry goods, cloaks, waists, laces, notions; 60 Worth; Great Northern.
SALT LAKE CITY—Keith-O'Brien Co.; J. McArthur, dress goods, silks, velvets; 116 W. 32d; Great Northern.
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah—L. & A. Cohn, M. E. Lipman, china, glassware; 470 4th Av.
SALT LAKE CITY—Walker Bros. D. G. Co.; T. F. Cahill, bargain basement; 353 4th Av.
SAN ANTONIO—M. Halff & Bro.; S. Carr, men's clothing, women's ready-to-wear; 48 Leonard.
SAN ANTONIO, Texas—Joske Brothers Co.; Miss H. Strohmeyer, millinery; 1,150 B'way.
SAN ANTONIO—Weiff & Marx Co.; A. Proll, ready to wear; 353 4th Av.
SAN FRANCISCO—S. N. Wood & Co.; A. L. Peyser, hosiery, gloves; 43 W. 16th.
SAN FRANCISCO—Newman-Magnin Co.; Mr. Maloney, hosiery, gloves, neckwear; 353 4th Av.; Latham.
SAN FRANCISCO—R. Weill & Co.; W. C. Murray, laces; 15 East 26th; Latham.
SAVANNAH—The Parisian; L. Bulwers, jobs skirts; Room 506, 1,181 B'way.
SEATTLE—"Bon Marche;" Mrs. Graves, waists; 230 5th Av.
SELMA, Ala.—Liepold Bros.; N. Liepold, coats, suits, waists; 2 Astor Place; Continental.
SHERIDAN, Wyo.—Golden Rule; J. P. Croft, general merchandise; Bristol.
SOUTH BEND, Ind.—J. Chess Ellsworth; M. A. Zimmerman, dress goods, silks; R. Robertson, coats, suits, waists; 1,270 B'way.
SPOKANE—Culbertson, Grote, Rankin Co.; Miss M. Oppenheimer, waists, blouses, sweaters, petticoats; 116 West 32d.
SPRINGFIELD, Ohio—M. J. Federman; Mr. Federman, jobs children's coats, Fall suits, Fall coats; 72 Madison Av.
ST. LOUIS—Kurlander Bros. & Harfield; H. S. Harfield, Spring women's ready-to-wear; 315 5th Av.
ST. LOUIS—Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney D. G. Co.; A. W. Becker, basement dept.; 23 East 26th.
ST. LOUIS—Rice-Stix D. G. Co.; M. Welf, laces, hdkfs.; 377 Broadway.
ST. LOUIS—S. A. Rider Jewelry Co.; M. Waxman, dolls, toys; 31 Union Square.
STOCKTON, Cal.—The Wonder; P. Kahn, genl. mdse.; 116 West 32d.
ST. PAUL, Minn.—Golden Rule; A. S. Kurtz, coats, suits, waists, millinery; 1,261 B'way.
TACOMA—Meyer Jacob Co.; Mrs. A. E. Bucher, ready-to-wear; 303 5th Av.
TAMPA—Bentley-Gray D. G. Co.; J. N. Bryan, dry goods; 43 Leonard.
TAMPA—Bentley-Gray D. G. Co.; H. C. Terry, men's, women's furn. goods; 43 Leonard.
TAMPA—Maas Bros.; Mrs. G. B. Sparkman, millinery, trimmings; 1,150 B'way.
TOPEKA—Pelletier Stores Co.; J. B. Walker, mdse. mgr.; W. L. Trump, silks, dress goods; Mrs. G. Kelly, laces, embroideries, trimmings; Miss Griffit, infants' wear, corsets, muslin underwear; 116 W. 32d.
TORONTO, Can.—Empire Cloak and Suit Co.; H. Adelberg, silk suits, coats; 116 West 27th, twelfth floor.
TYLER, Texas—Mayer & Schmidt; J. S. Powell, ready-to-wear; 1,150 Broadway; Gregorian.
VICTORIA, Texas—Haller D. G. Co.; Mrs. C. C. Rucker, ready-to-wear, millinery; 1,150 B'way.
WACO, Texas—Sanger Brothers; G. F. Jackson, hosiery, gloves, furnishing goods; 19 East 24th.
WACO — Snaman & Co.; Mrs. B. Sachs, ready-to-wear; McAlpin.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—Woodward & Lothrop; G. Louis, trunks, toys; J. A. Hobson, upholstery goods; 334 4th Av.
WHEATLAND, Wyo.—Golden Rule; W. C. Benton, general merchandise; Bristol.
WILMINGTON, N. C.—G. Dannenbaum; coats, suits, dresses; 470 4th Av.
WOONSOCKET, R. I.—Harris & Mowry Co.; T. A. Engelbach, carpets; 404 4th Av.; Continental.
WORCESTER, Mass.—C. T. Sherer Co.; Miss H. C. Fay, ladies' wear; 1,270 Broadway.
WORCESTER, Mass.—John C. MacInnes Co.; A. C. Wood, notions, buttons, art goods; 404 4th Av.
WORCESTER, Mass.—J. C. MacInnes Co.; J. D. Robertson, ladies' underwear, corsets, infants' wear; 432 4th Av.
WORCESTER, Mass.—Denholm & McKay Co.; C. F. Krim, Miss T. Hurley, ready-to-wear, basement; 230 5th Av.
YORK, Penn.—J. McLean Sons; Miss E. Kaufmann, cloaks, suits, waists; Miss Thompson, gloves; Miss Manifold, notions; Miss Tauser, fancy goods; 432 4th Av.; Imperial.
YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—S. K. Siegal Co.; H. J. Fry, general mdse.; 303 5th Av.
YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—Strouse - Hirshberg Co.; R. J. Beacom, ready-to-wear; H. Goldstein, bargain basement; 353 4th Av.

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DENATURED ALCOHOL BOND.

Ruling to Simplify Business of Distillers—Excess Profits Returns.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Internal Revenue Commissioner Roper issued a ruling today to simplify the business of bonding distilleries operating under one control and releasing alcohol for industrial purposes. In order that alcohol intended for use in central denaturing warehouses may be obtained, free of tax, from different distilleries one bond may hereafter be given. The penal sum of the bond will be computed on the basis of $2.20 per tax gallon.

A decision was also announced in regard to returns for excess profits, that a partnership whose fiscal year ended with the last day of any month in the year 1917 other than December may not later than thirty days before March 1, 1918, give to the Collector of Internal Revenue of the district in which its principal place of business is situated, notice in writing of the date thus fixed as the closing of its fiscal year. Unless a partnership gives such notice its income tax return for purposes of the excess profits tax shall be filed upon the basis of the calendar year 1917.

BUSINESS RECORDS.

In Town.

ARMY AND NAVY EQUIPMENT COMPANY of 27 West Forty-second Street.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against this corporation by those creditors: Walter T. Carr, $610; Max Waltsch, $300, and L. Ollendorf & Co., $321. Judge Manton appointed Thomas M. Matters, Jr., receiver, on application of Hays, Herschfield & Wolf, who stated that liabilities are $90,000 and assets $50,000.

PROSPECT HAT WORKS of 162 Greene Street.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Jacob and Sol Siegel, trading as the Prospect Hat Works by these creditors: Joseph Spencer, $489; Samuel Bienstock, $449, and Zinkowsky & Goldberg, $362. Liabilities are $6,000 and assets $3,000.

SAMUEL NEWMAN, baker at 991 Prospect Avenue.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against him by these creditors: Hanover Flour Company, $6,816; Uriah Lenson and Jacob Lenson & Co., $301, and Julius Kamber, $218. It was alleged that on Jan. 5 he gave a chattel mortgage to George Orlave & Co. for $3,000 and transferred the business to the Newman Model Baking Company, Inc., organized on Jan. 5.

HENRY SCHER, dealer in paints at 2,862 Westchester Avenue.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against him by these creditors: M. Ewing Noe & Co., $153; Gerstendorfer, $74; Baer Brothers, $58, and Louis Leavitt, $70.

MINNIE FIELER, dry goods, at 1,114 First Avenue.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against her by these creditors: A. Maifbaum, $130; Cecil Grossbandler, $280, and Bennett M. Kaplan, $192. Liabilities are $4,000 and assets $1,500. Judge Manton appointed Nathan M. Abramson receiver.

MANIE ZACOVICK of 1,663 Union Street, Brooklyn, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities of $3,856 and assets of $1,821.

ANNIE KANINSKY of 17 South Eighth Street, Brooklyn, has made an assignment to Samuel Gorber.

Out of Town.

Special to The New York Times.

UTICA, Jan. 21.—Jacob Berkowitz and Emil Goldfinger, dealing as the Imperial Cloak and Suit Company, Troy, filed a petition in bankruptcy today with liabilities of $17,234 and assets of $11,503.

Special to The New York Times.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Jan. 21.—M. I. Ford Company, one of the largest contracting and building firms in this State, filed a petition in bankruptcy today with liabilities of $14,465, of which $9,781 are unsecured, and assets of $3,557.

JUDGMENTS.

The following judgments were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

In New York County.

(Amounts of $100 and over.)

Bagnell, Richard H., or R. Harold Bagnall—T. P. McKenna.....$174.86
Barthold, George—K. Meyer et al.....115.45
Botwers, Morris—Caxton Composing Co.806.00
Baker, William—G. L. Brown.....166.21
Brainard, Michael J.—Sonn Bros. Co...133.91
Doubleday Press, Harry Buchalts, and Paul Buchalts—A. Wildman.....337.21
Ederheimer, Leopold — E. Ederheimer, costs.....157.61
Fisher, John M.—N. Y. Telephone Co...268.09
Gottlieb, William (Gottlieb & Laikind)—L. Wolfberg et al.....3,869.51
Gilroy, John—Tunis Bros.....106.13
Heinze, Ruth N., and Mary T. Geer—Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., costs.101.43
Lyons, Mary—Max Koppel.....291.79
Levy, Jerome—Manhattan Leasing Co...113.50
Mirsky, Leon M.—L. Zeedman & Co...180.97
Piciulo, Donato—S. Trimmer & Sons...155.22
Reich, David (a corp.)—J. Muchnott...750.00
Simplex Brick Co.—W. McKinley.....116.70
Solkey, Gus W.—Punk & Wagnalls Co...150.95
Sterling, Isidor—S. Goldman et al.....321.16
Steinberg, Daniel—J. Auhenstein.....1,419.97
Tuttle, Bloodgood—Thomas T. Hopper Co.....280.20
Same—Same.....324.70
T. & S. Realty Co. — Lincoln Trust Co.....12,952.41
Tavaroni, Francis A.—J. M. Sarner...198.62
Thrasi, Mike—J. S. Conabeer, Jr....1,326.90
Vollmer, Arthur J.—Maxwell Motor Sales Corp.....466.60
West, Mary V.—C. Wiseman.....1,055.20
Williams, Gussie, and Benjamin Green—People, &c.....200.00

In Bronx County.

Klein, Morris—A. Wellward.....$112.97
Longworth, J. Brower, individually; Irwin T. Longworth and J. Brower Longworth jointly, and Deborah F. Longworth—Home Trust Co. of N. Y.....540.98
Matchet, Nathan, and Michael L. Schulman—H. M. Liebman.....39.32
Solomon, Philip—B. Silverman.....198.66

SATISFIED JUDGMENTS.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and the date when the judgment was filed:

In New York County.

Bradley Contracting Co.—I. Leventhal, Jan. 3, 1918.....$200.60
Gimbel Bros.—D. Brem, by guardian, Nov. 10, 1917.....15,177.30
Katz, Simon and Morris—W. W. Newman, Sept. 25, 1917.....216.60
Wade, Henry C.—G. N. Whitney et al., Jan. 23, 1911.....254.51

In Bronx County.

Borden's Condensed Milk Co.—F. A. Braun, Jan. 4, 1918.....$101.55
Same—Same, March 1, 1917.....5,170.22
Kaufman, Sam—B. Somberg, April 10, 1915.....61.18
Same—H. Butwenieg et al., May 2, 1917.....61.71
Kaufman, Samuel—I. Rapaport, March 16, 1917.....79.97
Same—S. Polonsky, Jan. 26, 1914.....47.00

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CALENDARS AND DECISIONS

CASES WILL BE CALLED IN THE ORDER GIVEN BELOW.
(§) This character means *versus* or *against*.

FEDERAL.
Supreme Court.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Silas Blake Axtell of New York City was admitted to practice.

104—Union Pac. R. R. Co., plain., v. E. Huxoll, admrx. of estate of F. J. Huxoll.—Affirmed, with costs.

182—Southern Pacific Co. et al., plain., v. Darwell-Tasaner Lumber Co. et al.—Judgment affirmed, with costs, and cause remanded.

120—E. Bates, plain., v L. Bodia.—Judgment reversed, with costs, and cause remanded.

The Chief Justice announced the following orders of the court:

No. — original—In the matter of the U. S., pet.—Motion for leave to file an information for contempt.—The clerk will transmit a copy of the motion to the Judge therein referred to, and consideration of this is postponed to Monday, Feb. 4, leave being granted to him by that date to submit in print such suggestions as he may deem appropriate to be taken into view in considering and disposing of the motion for leave to file.

116—Police Jury of the Parish of Acadia, plain., v. City of Crowley.—Per curiam. Dismissed for want of jurisdiction.

202—Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Co., plain., v. E. Dutton, as admx.—Per curiam. Judgment affirmed, with costs.

801—The Railroad Commission of State of Cal., plain., v. T. & S. F. Ry Co.—Per curiam. Dismissed for want of jurisdiction.

525—C. W. Stone, guardian of T. S. Stone, plain., v. E. P. Stone, next friend of T. S. Stone.—Per curiam. Dismissed for want of jurisdiction.

584—The People of Porto Rico et al., apits., v. C. Tapia.—Per curiam. Judgment reversed.

647—The People of Porto Rico et al., plains., v. J. Muratti.—Per curiam. Judgment reversed.

675—K. P. McNaughton, apit., v. W. D. Stephens, Gov. of Cal., et al.—Per curiam. Judgment affirmed, with costs.

670—L. E. Nickell and R. J. Burks, apits., v. same.—Per curiam. Judgment affirmed, with costs.

23, original—The State of Georgia, comp., v. the Trustees of the Cincinnati Southern Ry. et al.—Ordered that Edward L. Gilmore, Esq., of Atlanta be appointed examiner to take and return testimony in this cause, and that the testimony be taken as provided by the stipulation of counsel for the respective parties.

507—The U. S., plain., v. F. W. Weitzel.—Motion to advance granted, and cause assigned for argument on March 4 next.

705—C. A. Peabody, plain., v. M. Eisner, Collector of Internal Revenue.—Motion to advance granted; assigned for March 4.

806—Navy Yard Route, Splaine et al., v. H. E. Devlin.—Motion to advance denied, but case will be taken as submitted on printed briefs if counsel are so advised.

165—Idora Hill Mining Co., plain., v. H. Olson et al.—Dismissed, with costs and 5 per cent. damages for failure to print the record.

750—A. P. Bernal, pet., v. the U. S.—Petition for writ of certiorari to Fifth Circuit Court denied.

805—Deschutes Rd. Co., pet., v. Eastern Oregon Land Co.—Petition for writ of certiorari to Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals denied.

815—Norfolk County Water Co., pet., v. City of Norfolk, Va., et al.—Petition for writ of certiorari to Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals denied.

656—C. E. Ruthenberg et al., plain., v. the U. S.; 663, J. F. Arver, plain., v. same; 664, A. F. Grabl, plain., v. same; 665, O. Wangerin, plain, v. same; 666, W. Wangerin, plain., v. same; 680, L. Kramer, and M. Becker, plains., v. same; 681, L. Kramer, plain., v. same; 738, A. Jones, apit., v. H. W. Percins, deputy U. S. Marshal, &c., et al., and 760, E. Graubard, plain., v. the U. S.—Leave granted to issue the mandates at once in these cases on motion of counsel for the U. S.

702—E. Goldman and A. Berkman, plain., v. the U. S.—Motion that mandate herein issue at once submitted for defendant in support of motion, and for plaintiffs in opposition thereto.

668—International News Service, pet., v. The Associated Press.—Motion to advance submitted by Mr. Koenigsberger in behalf of counsel.

133 and 134—F. McGinis et al., plain., v. the People of Cal.—Passed temporarily, on motion of counsel for plaintiffs.

681—The State of Ohio, on relation of The Hartford Life Ins. Co., plain., v. A. J. Doudna et al., Judges, &c.—Motion to affirm or place on summary docket submitted for defendants in support of motion, and for plaintiff in opposition thereto.

142—City of Birmingham, plain., v. D. J. O'Connell.—Continued per stipulation.

273—The Postal Telegraph Cable Co., plain., v. City of Newport, Ky.—Argued.

476—Steamship Bowdoin Co., plain., v. Industrial Accident Commission of State of Cal., et al.—Argued.

378—New York Life Ins. Co., plain., v. L. F. Dodge.—Argued.

27 and 28—In parte in the matter of F. M. Slater, &c., pet.—Argued.

105—J. R. Sears, Trustee, apit., v. the City of Akron.—Argument commenced for appellant.

Adjourned until tomorrow.

Call for Jan. 22—Nos. 105, 138, 140 (and 141,) 143, 144, 145, 147 (and 440,) 148, 152 and 153.

Southern District.

CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS—Ward, Rogers, Hough, JJ.—At 10:30 A. M., in Room 433, Post Office Building.

Motion calendar:
Law Gee Ling (Sisson.
Leonard (Maxwell.
Waterfront Co (No 92.

General calendar:
Penn. RR (Rosenfeld.
Cornell Co (Tug Bronx.
Spencer (Babylon RR.
Pilson (US.

DISTRICT COURT—Mayer, J.—Room 227, P. O. Bldg., at 10:15 A. M.—Jury calendar.

Graham (Sean Am L.
Lederer (Kessler.
Nelson (Stand Film In.
Lewis (Notman.
Proctor (N Y. RR.
Jnderaamk (N Y C & H R RR.
Carroll (US & Australasia SS Co.
Longo (Edison Storage Battery Co.
Smith (Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co.
Wright (Clyde SS Co.
Selden (CNY.
Thompson (N Y C RR.
Dudik (Lehigh Y RR.
Trainer (Bonner.
Venturo (Carpenter.

DISTRICT COURT—Hand, J.—Room 337, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M.—Equity.

Nat X-Ray Ref Co (G O Lyneh Co.
Tostevin & Cotti Mfg Co (M Ettinger Co.
Hirsch & Co (Denyrines Sons & Gloria.
Harmay Shoe Co (Ginsberg Gordon Co.
Dibble (Simmerman (2)
Dillon Rebrum (Same.
Berman (Co (Accident Fire & Life Assur.

Seydel Mfg Co (Dogget.
Perkins Goodwin Co (Chester, Inc.
Re Lobedat.
Blatz (Stitz.
Bamberger (Cooke.
Bostock (Jackson.
Halpin (Nolliaks Rity.

PART I.—Sitgr, J.—At 10:30 A. M.—Ex parte business.

PART III.—Greenbaum, J.—At 10:15 A. M. Motions.

Hammerstein (Hammerstein.
Bowen (Brown.
Naylor (Variety, Inc.
Bogenbogen (Bulk.
Ginsberg (Bruckenfield.
Maury (Maury.
Mostyn (Goldfisher.
Clark (Clark.
Patrick (Patrick.
Re Watkins Av.
P. F. Gerhard & Co (Foreign & Domestic Transp Corp.
Van Heyningen Brokerage Co (Same.
Freeth (Freeth.
Omero (Omero.
Lopez (Hammond Typewriter Co.
Sternstein (Heit.
Oppenheim (Lowe.
New Era Dev Co (Business.

Fitzgerald (Fitzgerald.
Harstein (Harstein.
Timer (Timer.
Demurrer:
Pratt (Comm Tr Co.

Preferred causes:
Levy (Parisian R E Corp.
Boers (Boers.
Marsh (Woodworth.
Somberg (45th St Rty.
Vitagraph Co of Am (Stewart.
Phillips (Tudor.

General calendar:
Case on—Flannagan (Flanagan.
Case on (Lardizabal (Valentine.
Moder (Moder.
P. G. Thing & Const Co (Leslie.
Stone (Town & County Estates, Inc.
Antco (Friedman.
Saltzman (Illiman.
Bernhan (Bernshain.
Gnus (Gnus.

PART IV.—Whitaker, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.

PART V.—Cohalan, J.—At 10:30 A. M. Case on.

PARTS VI., VII., and VIII.—Not in session.

TRIAL TERMS—Part II.—Platzek, J.—At 10 A. M.

Werthan Bag Co (Ray, Bell & Co.
Schloss (Coml Cas Ins.
Holden (Cooke.
Lessler (Cohen.
Bradley (Levine.
Andweth Mfg Co (Herman & H.
Raw Silk Trading Co (Eagle.

PART III.—Tierney, J.—At 10 A. M.

Ing—Dorfman (Conservative Hold Co.
Ing—Townsend (Rafferty Con Co.
Ing—Peld (Strathman. (2.)
Ing—Malach (Fiftin Auto Co.
Ing—De Luise (Rega.
Ing—Casey (Hirschfeld.
Ing—Cambalast (Town Taxi Co.
Ing—Kaplan (Harrison
Bradley (Beaver, rec'r. Golle (Kalbach.
Goldberg (Fogel.
A Cohen (CNY.
H Cohen (same.
Murphy (McMahon.
B Ruane (Con Gas Co.
J Ruane (same.
Tedesald (Heinz Co.
Tri-Rullion Smelt & Dev Co (Corliss.
White (Cent Un Gas.
Markowitz (NY Rys.
Kelsey (Spalding Plaster Co.
Degan (CNY.
Ward (Ruland & W Co
Knispel (NY Rys.
Tepedino (MacKenzie.
Donaldson (Donaldson.
McComb (Cannon.
Demarin (Whitridge.
Berkowsky (Fuchs.
Courture (Horton.
Greenfeld (Neisner.
Mellivaine (Goldberg
Pfeiffer Co (Same.
Byrnes (Loose-W B Co
Pimenthal (I R T.
Hayden (Klein.
Quinn (NY Rys.
Devintentis (Managhan.
Lehan (Rich L & RR.
Vartabedian (Peter Doelger Brew Co.
Tobin (NY Rys.
Herman (Kips Bay Brew & Malting Co.
Telefoon (Boocher.
Garber (Beall.
Kunkel (Wokum.
Brodsky (Rubinger.
L Rosenthal (Stangler
P Rosenthal (same.
Heneman (Martinson.
Frel (Beaver.
Hanson (Hanson.
Chas Burke, Inc (NY Tel Co.
L Kirschner (NY Rys.
J Kirschner (same.
C Polichronis (same.
H Polichronis (same.
Sheehan (A Davey, Inc
Hogan (Wightman, Jr.
Block (Dear.
Brennan (Hart.
Travelers Ins Co (Herman Brand, Inc.
Germak (Humberg.
Aellio (Delmonico's.
Jensen (B H RR.
Quigley (Cirker.

PART XIV.—Newburger, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.

Maisch (Levin.
Swarts (Munger.
Postal Tel Cable Co (Associated press. (6.)
Blossom (Chisholm.
Kricher (Schwartz Hermann Steel Wks.
Hollinger (Palmer.
Downes & Co (Edgar J Thayer, Inc.
Greenberg (Saltzseder.
O'Sullivan (Russell.
Towne (Durkin.
Verdi (M Nocenti Co.
Hoffman (Guddeck.
Cuomo (J Pratt Carroll, Inc.
Lawrence (Universal Film Mfg.
Rosenberg (Am Burlesque Assn.
Fiser (Vanadium-Alloys Steel Co.
Collins (McWilliams.
Durham Rity Corp (Haiperin.
Bunnell (Brooklyn Rity Sellers.
Fid & Dep Co, NY (M & S Con Co.
Lawrence (Universal Film Mfg Co.
Capers (Clark.
Hart (Baym.
Vitable (Vassar, Jr.
Mardman Tire & Rub Co (Land Vulc Fen.
Frankenberg (Spiegel.
Sisson (Pape & Schaar Corp.
Starr (Haley-Hammond Co.
Asphalt Pav Co (CNY.
Thompkins (Martin.

TRIAL TERM.—Causes assigned from the day calendar to the various parts for trial. See Rule VII., amended Trial Term rules.

PART III.—Tierney, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.

PART IV.—McAvoy, J.—At 10 A. M. Saal (Standard Arch Co.
PART V.—Pendleton, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART VI.—Dugro, J.—At 10 A. M. Barry (Cons. Gas Co.
PART VII.—Ford, J.—At 10 A. M. Moore (CNY.
PART VIII.—Goff, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART IX.—Lehman, J.—At 10 A. M. Krotel (Sklyn Daily Eagle.
PART X.—Gavegan, J.—At 10 A. M. Twomey (Standard Arch Co.
PART XI.—Donnelly, J.—At 10 A. M. Gunley (Dickson & Sons.
PART XII.—Hendrick, J.—At 10 A. M. Blum (J. Blum, Co., Inc.
PART XIII.—No day calendar.
PART XIV.—Newburger, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.
PART XV.—Hotchkiss, J.—At 10 A. M. Clear.
PART XVI.—Giegerich, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART XVII.—Philbin, J.—At 10 A. M. Katz on.
PART XVIII.—Dudley, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.

Surrogates' Court.

CHAMBERS—Fowler, S.—Room 369, at 10:30 A. M. Motion calendar:

Charles J Phalen,
Solomon Isaacs,
Jonathan Marsh,
Julian Guines,
Frederick Seward,
Julia Flynn,
Manuel De Vavalho,
Josiute Bento,
Henry Diedrich,
Thomas Spencer,
Mary McLaughlin,
Domingo Louis,
Martin J Lang,
Henry Kirshner,
David G. Grierson,
Charles Sooysmith,
Walter J Beck,
John W Gates,
Ivan Prince,
George H Huber,
Frederick E Seward (2.)
Solomon Isaacs,
Henry W Ranger,
Rudolph Simons,
Mary Louise Bogert,
George M. Van Horst,
Maurice T Ward,
Pauline K Weaver,
David W Cromwell,
Catherine James,
John Fabrik,
Daniel Shea,
Henry Rosenthal,
Elizabeth M Coddington,
Antonio Caraflo,
Sarah E Fletcher,
Louise A McGurk,
Charles Ottmann,
Julia I G Rowsdon,
Arthur I Taylor,
Grace Sargent,
Antonio Corrado,
Lindsay Fairfax,
Marie A Kallwelt,
Edward M Knox (2.)
Catherine Bramshall,
&c.,
Mary V Henry,
Martha Herbig,
Samuel Preston,
Thomas B Bushnell,
Benjamin G W Lieberberg (2.)

Wills for probate,
John J Eagan,
Charles J Brownley,
Charles Vagto,
Herman Schell.

CHAMBERS—Cohalan, J.—At 10:30 A. M. Estate: Charles Corr.

TRIAL TERM—Cohalan, J.—At 10:30 A. M. Contested will: Case on—William Marshall.

City Court.

SPECIAL TERMS—Part I.—Mayer, J.—At 10 A. M.—Litigated motions.

Zarou Bros (No Am Lace Co.
N Y Telephone Co (Hornwitz.
Stein (Robertson Chem Works.
Stern (Nelson.
Hemling (Grand.
Beauty Waists, Inc (Traphagan.
Lassler (Dolson Co.
Espada (Crescent Star Rity Co. (2.)
Weintraub (Seeman.
Schwartz (Lion Wet W Co.
Sabella (Collins.
Clett (O'Connor.
Vultaggeo (same.
Umansky (Bleo Rity Co.
Klarman (Greenbaum.
Newman (Miller.
Wolper (Seltzman.

PART II.—Valente, J.—At 10 A. M.—Ex parte business.

TRIAL TERMS—Part I.—Schmuck, J.—At 9:45 A. M.

61st St Bldg Corp (Elitons Rity Co.
Silver (Samson (Mendelson Co.
Fleming (Weil.
Patterson (M S Trans.
Williams (Hoffman.
Horowitz (Lieberman.
Spooner (Goodman.
Hauptman (Weinberg.
Gange (Int R T Co.
Joyce (NY Rys.
Jos Durst, Inc (Saxonia Dress Goods.
Weingart (N Y Edison.
Giles (Kittel.
Llata, Lowenberg & S, Inc (Stromberg Exp & Imp Co.
Greenberg (Isaacs.
Kotz (N Y Rys.
Wolins (Wilmerding.
Sent (Nor Grain Co.
Goldweber (Berily.
P Pastene & Co (Reseler.
Rouse (Menschel.
Romano (Di Carrlo.
Schwefelgelat (Brand, (8.)
Packler (same.
Fahn (same.
Paneth (Ratkowsky.

SHORT CAUSE CALENDAR—Cases will be sent to Trial Term, Part II., for trial.

Silverberg (Weinstein.
Douglas Manor Assn (Douglas Manor Co.

PART II.—Allen, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.

PART III.—Pinello, J.—At 10 A. M.—Commercial calendar.

Chapkewitz Fur Co (Markowitz.
Helfgott & Son, Inc (Spinelli.
Herring (Bauman.
Goldstein (Sellig.
H & T Const Co (170 Bldg Co.
Krohnberg (Fed Ins.
Olshin (Bauman.
Archibald (Goldberg.
Ihler (Normandy Waist Co.

Woodruff (Lembeck & Betz E E Co.
Baker Silk Co (Cornwell.
Waterbury Wallsey Co (Ivey, (2.)
Barth (Gatto.
Yanoff (Silver.
Feld (Weinberg.
Williams (Jackerson.
Zosman (same.
La Grend Costume Co (Intl Apparel Co.
Price (Price.

Clear.

PART IV.—Smith, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART V.—Zeller, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART VI.—O'Dwyer, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART VII.—La Fetra, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.
PART VIII.—Walsh, J.—At 10 A. M. Case on.

BRONX COUNTY.
Supreme Court.

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Mitchell, J.—At 10 A. M. Ex parte business.

SPECIAL TERM—Mitchell, J.—Motion calendar.

Fishbein (Union Ry.
Hornstein (same.
Lebowitz (So Blvd RR. (2.)
Bonfini (N Y C Inter.
Schulman (Lebedinsky (2.)
Brill (Dworsky.
Newmark (Tower.
City Real Estate Co (Martin.
Bronx Inv Co (Grob.

SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIALS—Mitchell, J.

Orbach (Orbach.
Bramer (Bramer.
Mihalik (Minbert Realty Corp.

TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Delehanty, J.

Inq—Wade (Tauber.
Inq—Santora (St. Constantine's G O Church.
Levy (Int R T.
Shanley (Colt-Stratton Co.
Rishkin (So Blvd RR.
Friedlander (Bonnem.
Kaiser (CNY.
Stern (Bing, Jr.
Lang (Gormley.
Frankle (Inter R T.
Horenstein (Union Ry.

Highest number reached in regular order, 1317.

PART II.—Mitchell, J.—Cases to be sent from Trial Term, Part I.

PART III.—Erlanger, J.—Cases to be sent from Trial Term, Part I. Case on—Flood (CNY.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Schuls, S.—Ex parte business.
TRIAL TERM—Schuls, S.
No day calendar.

County Court.

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Gibbs, J.—Ex parte business.
SPECIAL TERM FOR MOTIONS—Gibbs, J.
No day calendar.
TRIAL TERM—Gibbs, J.

Sutton (Rodgers & H.
Engelhardt (same.
Dobbins (Kiernan.
Ludwig (Munves.
Reinstein (Weiss.
Brummer (Diamond.
Hitter (Becker.
Silverman (N Y C Int R T.
Arisohn (So Blvd RR.
Hornicher (Union Ry.

KINGS COUNTY.
Supreme Court.

APPELLATE DIVISION—Second Department—Recess.

APPELLATE TERM—Second Department—Recess.

SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Aspinall, J.—At 10 A. M.

Re Avenue V.
Renner (NY Mun RR.
Humphries (Gilbert.
Re Feldman.
Jones (D. Eddy & Sons
Capitelli Co. Coste.
Wisor (Weissman.
Weller (Weller.
Abrams (Cherey.
Moody (Meyer.
M. H. Day (Kastenhuber.
M. E. Day (same.
Gray (Francfort.
Curnow (McGowan.
Re Lafstein & Rosenfeld Co. (Frindel.)
Schwartz (Cohen.
Sellon (Burroughs.
Barad (Mensker.
Roettger (Roettger.
Re Malbone St. (Block)
Sullivan (Biehn.
Ludlam (Geis.
Re Int R T Co. (McSherry.) (2.)
Lundquist (Lundquist.
Brady (Kendehon.
Lewis (Int R T Co.
Re Montanya.
Mendelson (Henderson.
Weber (Weber.
Barker (Barker.
Re Roth.
Heck (Herbert.
Mauer (George.
Kaplan (Heil.
Pezrick (same.
Vicik (Vicik.
Diamond (Yeagley Rity.
Mut Trust Co (West Improve Co.
Rosecsuk (3d Av RR.
Wyckoff Amuse Co (Kaplan.
Cronin (Church.
Re Ahern.
Schmitz (Prete.
Trafford (same.
Flaherty (C. W. Smith Taxicab Co.
McCambridge (Appel.
Allinson (Willoughby Rity Co.

PART II.—Manning, J.—At 10 A. M.

PART III.—Cropsey, J.—At 10 A. M.

Kenyon (Kemp.
Bane (Lansden.
New 14th St Theatre (Parex Film Corp.
Urbach (Goldblum.
Tulp (Plunkett.
Epstein (Werbelowsky.
Roya (77th St Theatre.
Simon (Hennelstein.

Highest number reached on the regular call, 886.

TRIAL TERM—Part I., Jaycox, J.; Part II., Kapper, J.; Part IV., Lauseky, J.; Part V., Benedict, J.

Reil (NY Cons RR.
Rankopp Centg (CNY.
Kitvan (Diamond Dairy Co.
Tobin (Kury.
Leighton (96 H RR.
Anderson (Nassau RR.
Finkelstein (Budman.
Diahy (Saba & ano.
Samuels (Eagle I Wkr.
Monash (Realty Assoc.
Klein (Williams et al.
Cahill (NY Rys.
Goldstein (Myer.
Jeffrey (Miller.
Bernstein (C I & B RR.
Sabine (NY Cons RR.
Fay & ano (Liberty Nat Bank of N Y.
Saracen (Bernstein & ano.
Wmbro Scrap Plumbers Co (McLaughlin Stone.
Grothe-Eckhardt (Nassau RR.
Bruer (B H RR.
Zenia (Wood Co.
Mansfield (Cook & ano
Miller (CNY.
Baines (B 14 RR.
Feher (Stout.
Aldingarten (L I R R RR.
Rand (Gerson.
William (Transit Dev.
Wyman (NY Con RR.
Rodgers (Nevin.
Curran (Sanderson.
Kane (Murphy.
Rautunas (Deyle.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day; no cause will be set down for a day upon this calendar:

Chappelle (Chappelle.
Jurgensen (Derby Co.
McCarthy (Dittgetter.
Shellhorn (Westcott Express Co.
McGoldrick (Block et al.
Pleasants (Vause.
Cooney (Nassau RR.
Nelson (Applebaum & ano.
Dalton (CNY.
Dyckman (B, Q, Co & Sub RR.
Sirfs (Nassau RR.
Regan (B H RR.
Krinkewitz (Arkell Safety Bag Co.
Hauser (Edelstein.
Sherman (Sheehan.
Lipschitz (Loew's Amuse Co et al.
Hannigan (Beaumont.
Smith (Nassau RR.
Kitzer (Pfd Pros
Meglaughlin (B H RR.
McCauley (McGowan.
Kent (Fraser.

Highest number reached on regular call, 3345.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Ketcham, S.—Day calendar at 10 A. M.

Wills of:
Anna M Signer,
Martin Kollman,
Franciska Laubenheimer,
William H Frank,
Margaret Healy,
Sarah S Posner,
Thomas J Hogan,

Accounting of:
Karl Fasse,
Helen Johnson,
Arthur Sullivan.

County Court.

CIVIL CALENDAR—Part V.—Roy, J.

Lally (Diamond Dairy.
Webb (Nassau El RR.
Bucoal (Branch.
Auditore (Muldoon.
Tuetz (Bklyn Un Gas.
Wuttke (Rubel Bros (2.)
Bradley (Nassau RR.
Bergman (Estreich.

QUEENS COUNTY.
Supreme Court.

TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Van Siclen, J.; Part II., Callaghan, J.—At 10 A. M.

Brakewell, an Infant (NY & Q Co Ry.
Houck (Wroblewski.
Stein (N Y Cons RR.
Chopping (Vallin.
Prem (Cranford Co.
Schneider (Rosenberg.
Gayman (NY Cons RR & ano.
Cascone & Co (St Paul Fire & Marine Ins.
Bryan (Sokolow.
Milner (B H RR.
Arnold (Oliver.
Selig (Alexander.
Badolato (Molinari.
Korn (B, Q C & S RR.
Emerson Brantingham Imp Co (Lansden Co.
Zegadlyn (Stache.
Allen (Brady-Murray Motors Co.
Brody (Eisenman et al.
Van Cleef (Maxfield.
Levine (Rubenstein et al.
Joyce (Waldron.
Quasdorf (Westbott Express Co.
Conkin (B H RR.
Klein (Spitell.
Pallatino (CNY.
Danglo (B'way Sub & Home Bor Ad Co.

Lowell (L I RR.
McTighe (NY & Q Co Ry.
Kelly (McIntyre.
Hall (Hitzman.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day; no cause will be set down for a day on this call:

Lawson (Strayhall.
Lamb (Morrise.
Isenberg (Friedman.
Iorio (Penn RR.
Gilchrist, as admr (Henry Meyer Co.
Caplan (Mouquin.
Kojkowski, as admr (Taft.
Metz (Stevens & ano.
Foloroy (Welsh.
Gang (Surat.
Hamilton (NY & North Shore Traction Co.
Wagner (same.
Townshend (Lubits.
U S I D & I Co (Dermon R & T Imp Co et al.

Highest number reached on the general calendar is 2181. The includes all issues noticed for the January, 1918, Trial Term.

SPECIAL TERM—Kelby, J., at 10 A. M.

Cummings (Gold Theatre Corp et al.
Cooperamith (Cooperamith.
Grisson (Grisson.
Doyle (Doyle.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.
Supreme Court.

TRIAL TERM—Part I., Young, J.; Part II., Seeger, J.; Part III., Keogh, J.—At 9:45 A

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Stock Exchange Dark, but Not Dreary—Peace Stocks Advance in Quiet Session.

Outwardly, Wall Street was enshrouded in gloom and chilled by the deprivation of its steam heat yesterday, but these were only superficial evidences of its feelings. With every inducement offered customers to remain at home, with most of the tickers running in semi-darkness, and board room boys lighting their way with a candle in one hand while marking up quotations with the other, the bullish movement in prices went on its way. Though slightly less than 500,000 shares changed hands, there was a surprising display of strength in a great many of the industrial shares. The sugar, petroleum, and tobacco issues gained from 2 to 5 points. Trading was naturally supplied by a relatively small number of professionals, the country having indulged almost whole-heartedly in the luxury of an undesired holiday, and the movement of prices was regarded as significant in that it completely disregarded the discouraging comment everywhere heard on the industrial difficulties which have led to the embargo on Monday business.

No matter what the news says, the element which is in control of the stock market at the moment sees peace fast approaching. With this conviction thoroughly imbedded in the trader's consciousness, it is easy to understand his complete indifference to domestic troubles, even when they become so serious as to shut down manufactories and department stores. Even though he does not fully credit stories of impending outbreaks in Austria and Germany, the trader cannot be dislodged from his belief that events are rapidly moving to put an end to the war. That the belief is not widely held outside of the speculative group may be inferred from the reluctance of foreign Government and our own Liberty bonds to make more progress in the way of recovery.

The statement by Director General McAdoo that the Government is not to be expected to care for maturing railroad obligations came as a shock to most security holders, who had taken it for granted that this is just what Federal control is for. The market for railroad shares did not reflect any great disappointment over the announcement, partly because railroad securities have not moved far in response to the Government's assumption of control. It is felt that the railroads will be better off in the long run if they are forced to care for their own financing needs, with the Government cognizant of the increase in rates which must be granted to restore railway credit. Mr. McAdoo's request that the railroad bill provide for Government control for three years after the war shows clearly that he appreciates as much as the railroad executives the many difficulties which will attend the unscrambling process that must precede the return of the properties to their owners.

TRADING QUIET IN LONDON.

Further Weakness in Russian Securities Displayed in Market.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Money was in a fair supply today. Discounts were quiet.

On the Stock Exchange there was further weakness of Russian securities and renewed activity of Rhodesian mines, which were absorbed readily. Shipping shares maintained firmness. Argentine rails hardened.

Little Activity on Paris Bourse.

PARIS, Jan. 21.—There was little trading activity on the Bourse today. Rentes were quoted at 58f. for cash; exchange on London, 27f. 15½c.; 5 per cent. loan at 88f. 6c.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Call Loans.

High ..... 6 | Renewals 6
Low ..... 6 | Last 6

Time Loans.

MIXED COLLAT'LS.		ALL INDUSTRIALS.	
Sixty days	5%	Sixty days	6
Ninety days	5%	Ninety days	6
Four months	5¼	Four months	6
Five months	5¼	Five months	6
Six months	5¼	Six months	6

Bank Acceptances.

Eligible for rediscount with Reserve Bank, 60 to 90 days ..... 3½@4
Non-member and private bankers eligible, 60 to 90 days ..... 4 @4½
Not eligible, 60 to 90 days ..... 5 @5½

Commercial Paper.

Best-Known Names.

30 to 60 days 5¼
4 to 6 months ..... 5¼@5¾
Other Names.
4 to 6 months ..... 5¾@6

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.
Rates of Change.

Sterling—	High.	Low.	Last.	Ch'ge.
Demand	$4.7530	$4.7530	$4.7530	..
Cables	4.76¼	4.76¼	4.76¼	..
Francs—				
Demand	5.72	5.72	5.72	—.00⅜
Cables	5.69⅞	5.69⅞	5.69⅞	—.00⅜
Rubles—				
Demand	13.00	13.00	13.00	..
Cables	13.25	13.25	13.25	..

Closing Exchange.

Normal Rates of Exch.	Yesterday's Demand or Checks.	Close. Cables.
4.8665 London	$4.75.40	$4.76¼
5.1826 Paris	5.72	5.60⅞
China—		
Hongkong	74.00	74.25
Peking	113.00	113.25
Shanghai	106.00	106.25
19.30 Greece	19.40	19.45
40.20 Holland	43.62½	44.00
32.44 India—		
Bombay	35.00	35.50
Calcutta	35.00	35.50
5.1826 Italy	8.41¼	8.40
49.85 Japan—		
Kobe	51.75	52.00
Yokohama	51.75	52.00
Philippine Islands—		
Manila	50.00	50.125
51.46 Russia	13.00	13.25
26.80 Scandinavia—		
Stockholm	33.50	34.00
Copenhagen	31.00	31.37½
Christiania	32.00	32.50
19.30 Spain	24.10	24.20
South America—		
32.42 Rio	26.81	26.91
42.44 Buenos Aires	45.94	46.04
5.1826 Switzerland	4.43½	4.41½

TIME BILLS ON LONDON.

Bankers. 60 Days.	Bankers. 90 Days.	Commercial. 60 Days.	Commercial. 90 Days.
$4.71½	$4.69½	$4.71¼	$4.69¼

Clearing House Exchanges.

Clearing House exchanges, $419,523,181; balance, $64,219,430; Sub-Treasury debit balance, $5,274,610; Federal Reserve credit balance, $55,900,877.

Domestic Exchanges.

Boston, par; Chicago, 5c discount; St. Louis, 15@5c discount; San Francisco, par; Montreal, $13.4375 premium.

Silver.

Bar silver in London, 44½d, off ½d; in New York, 88½c, off 1c; Mexican dollars, 71½c.

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Receipts and expenditures:

	This Mo.	Fiscal Year.
Customs	$7,237,078	$90,976,403
Internal revenue—		
Corporation income	1,925,898	27,255,195
Individual income	1,638,175	15,078,128
Excess profits	1,844,954	9,989,907
Miscellaneous	42,087,336	370,725,063
Miscellaneous revenue	11,853,741	119,653,269
Total receipts	$66,567,186	$633,677,967
Exc. of ord. disburse. over ord. receipts	373,338,433	2,227,272,809
Exc. of total receipts over total receipts	57,043,578	371,503,286
Expenditures	439,905,619	2,800,950,777

BOSTON BANK STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The weekly statement of the Associated Bank and Trust Companies of Boston compares as follows with that of last week: Jan. 19, '18. Decline.

Circulation	$5,451,000	$8,000
Loans, dis. inv.	482,062,000	410,000
Indiv. deposits in U. S.	408,700,000	4,388,000
Due to banks	130,745,000	654,000
Time deposits	22,254,000	232,000
Exch. for clearing house	19,900,000	2,075,000
Due from banks	95,685,000	7,162,000
Cash in banks, including Federal Reserve	60,873,000	550,000
Cash exc., Fed. Res. Bk.	18,921,000	885,000

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MONDAY, JAN. 21, 1918.

	1918.	1917.	1916.
Day's sales	288,420	864,549	658,045
Year to date	9,994,853	12,898,653	12,265,289

Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
49½	51⅞	400	Ajax Rubber	50	50½	50	50½	+ ½
2¼	2½	1,500	Alaska Gold Mines	2	2⅛	1⅞	2⅛	+ ⅛
2⅜	2⅝	3,900	Alaska Juneau	2⅜	2⅝	2⅜	2⅝	+ ⅛
52¾	55	500	Am. Agricul. Chem.	82⅞	86	82⅞	85¾	+ 2¾
76	77	2,300	Am. Beet Sugar	75	77⅝	75	77	+ 2
30	30½	800	Am. Can	35¾	36½	35¾	36¼	+ ½
72	72½	2,000	Am. Cotton Oil	26½	29	26½	29	+ 2½
28	28⅝	1,100	Am. Car & Fdry	72¾	73½	71⅞	72	+ ⅛
1¾	13	1,900	Am. H. & Leather	12⅞	13½	12⅞	13	+ ⅛
55	55⅝	1,500	Am. H. & L. pf	54	55⅛	54	55	+ 1
55⅜	56⅛	900	Am. International	55½	56	55½	56	+ ½
30½	31	5,400	Am. Linseed	30	31⅜	30	30⅜	+ ⅛
71	71½	200	Am. Linseed pf	71	71	71	71	+ ⅛
55½	56	1,100	Am. Locomotive	83	83⅞	82⅝	83⅜	+ ⅛
83⅝	83⅞	15,000	Am. Smelt. & Ref	83¼	84⅜	83	83¾	+ ⅛
103	105½	100	Am. Smelt. & R. pf	105	105	105	105	+ 1½
95	99½	100	Am. Steel F'dries	60¼	60¼	60¼	60¼	— ½
102½	103½	3,200	Am. Sugar Ref	100¾	103⅝	100½	103¼	+ 1¼
109	112	200	Am. Sugar Ref. pf	100	100	100	100	
66¼	68½	1,900	Am. Sumatra Tob	66¼	68⅞	66¼	68½	+ ⅝
157	159½	400	Am. Tel. & Tel	104½	105	104½	105	+ ⅝
46	47	100	Am. Tobacco	159¼	159¼	159¼	159¼	+ 2¼
13½	16	200	Am. Woolen	46	46	45	46	+ ½
61⅛	61⅝	400	Am. Zinc, L. & S	13½	13⅝	13½	13⅝	+ ⅛
83	83½	8,700	Anaconda Copper	80⅞	81⅞	80⅞	81⅝	+ ⅞
81	82	100	Atch., Top. & S. F	83	83¼	83	83¼	+ ⅛
60	60½	1,400	Atch., T. & S. F. pf	81⅝	81⅝	81¼	81⅝	+ ⅛
50¾	50¾	1,500	Baldwin Loco	59¾	60¾	59¾	60	+ ⅝
75¾	75½	8,800	Baltimore & Ohio	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾	+ ⅛
21	21¼	.00	Beth. Steel cl. B t.c.	74⅞	76⅞	74⅞	76⅝	+ ⅝
41½	42¼	500	Booth Fisheries	21	21	21	21	
18½	19	100	Bklyn Rapid Tran	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾	+ ⅞
37¾	39	100	Butte & Superior	18½	18⅝	18½	18½	— ⅜
10	16½	1,300	California Packing	38	38	38	38	
43¼	44¼	600	California Petrol	16¾	16¾	15½	16	
61	63	100	California Pet. pf	43½	44¾	43	43	
139½	140¼	3,300	Calumet & Arizona	65	65	65	65	+ 1½
77	80	100	Canadian Pacific	139½	140¾	139½	140¾	+ 1½
42	45	200	Case (J. I.) Co. pf	77	77	77	77	— 1
65¾	66	4,000	Central Foundry pf	45	45	45	45	+ 1
72	73½	100	Central Leather Co	65	68¾	65	65½	+ 1
51½	52	800	Chandler Motor	73	73	73	73	
42¾	42¾	200	Chesapeake & Ohio	52	52	51½	51½	+ ⅛
72¾	72¾	300	Chi., Mil. & St. P	42¾	42½	42½	42½	— ¼
92	93	100	Chi., M. & St. P. pf	72	72½	72	72½	+ ½
10	10⅜	1,000	Chi. & Northwest'n	92¼	92½	92½	92½	+ ⅛
59¼	60¾	300	Chi., R. I. & P. t. c	20	20	19½	19⅝	+ ⅛
49	50	600	Chi., R. I. & P. t. c. P. & p. c. pf. t. c	61	61	60	60	— 1
16	16⅜	5,100	Chile Copper	50	50	49	49½	+ ⅝
42¾	43	1,000	Chino Copper	16¼	16⅝	16½	16¾	+ ⅝
35	36	100	Col. Fuel & Iron	42¾	43	42½	43	+ 1
30	31	700	Col. & Southern	35	35	35	35	— 1
33	34	1,800	Columbia Gas & El	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	+ ⅛
54½	55½	600	Corn Products Ref	33	33⅝	33	33⅜	+ ⅛
31½	31¾	10,800	Crucible Steel	30¾	31½	30¾	31	+ ⅛
78¼	80	100	Cuba Cane Sugar	55¾	55¾	55	55	+ ½
99½	102	10	Cuba Cane Sugar pf	31¼	32⅜	31¼	32⅜	+ ½
36⅜	36¾	3,700	Detroit Edison Co	70	70	70	70	
8½	9	200	Distillers' Securities	101	101	101	101	
24	24	200	Dome Mines	36	37⅛	36	36	
34½	35	200	Erie 1st pf	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	
13½	13⅝	500	Gaston, W. & W	28	28	28	28	+ ½
34½	35	800	General Electric	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	+ ⅛
130¾	131	1,400	General Motors	130¾	131¾	130¾	131¼	+ 2¼
110½	112	100	Goodrich (B. F.) Co	110¼	112	110¼	110½	+ ⅛
38	39	500	N. cifs. for o. p.	38	39	38	39	+ ⅛
26¾	28	700	Inspiration Copper	26¾	28⅜	26¾	28⅛	+ 2⅛
44½	45	100	Interboro Con. pf	44½	45	44½	45	+ ½
45	45⅝	100	Int. Agricultural pf	45	45⅝	45	45⅝	+ ⅛
43	43¼	100	Int. Harvester, N.J	43	43¼	43	43	+ ⅛
119½	120	5,000	Int. Mer. Marine	119½	120	119½	119⅝	+ ⅛
22¾	23¾	32,800	Int. Mer. Marine pf	22¾	23¾	22¾	23¾	+ ⅛
88⅝	90	1,000	Int. Nickel	90	90	88⅝	89⅝	+ ⅛
28¼	28½	700	Int. Paper	28¼	29	28¼	28½	+ ⅛
26½	27	100	Kelly Spring Tire	26½	27	26½	26½	+ ⅛
45	45	2,700	Kennecott Copper	27	27	27	27	+ 1½
32¼	32⅝	200	Lackawanna Steel	45	45	45	45	
76½	77	100	Lee Rubber & Tire	32¾	32⅝	32¼	32⅝	+ ⅛
14	14⅛	100	Lehigh Valley	76½	76½	76½	76½	
55¼	55¾	300	Manhattan Elev	14	14	14	14	
97	98	60	Do., odd lot	55¼	55¼	55¼	55¼	— ¼
97¼	97¾	19,400	Mexican Petroleum	97	97	96	96	— 1
90½	93	200	Miami Copper	97¼	97¼	97¼	97¼	+ ¼
31¼	31¾	1,400	Midvale Steel	93	93	93	93	+ 3½
44	44¾	400	M. St. P. & S. S. M.	31¼	31¼	31¼	31¼	+ ⅛
82	82	400	Missouri Pacific	44	44¼	44	44¼	+ ⅛
21¾	21¾	3,400	Nat. Enam. & St	82	82	82	82	— 2
41¼	42¼	300	Nevada Con. Cop	21¾	21⅝	21¼	21½	
18¼	18¼	600	N. Y. Central	41¼	42¼	41¼	42⅛	+ ⅛
68½	69	100	N. Y., N. H. & H	18¼	18¼	18¼	18¼	+ 1⅛
28¼	28⅝	50	Do., odd lot	68½	69	68½	68½	
28⅜	28⅝	200	Northern Pacific	28¼	28¾	28¼	28¼	
82	82	2,000	Ohio Cities Gas	28⅜	28⅝	28⅜	28⅝	
37	37¼	200	Pacific Mail	82	82	82	82	
23½	23⅝	200	Pan-Am. P. & T. pf	37	37⅜	37	37⅜	+ ⅛
88	88	200	Penn. R. R	23½	23⅝	23½	23½	+ ¼
45⅜	45⅝	1,800	People's Gas, Chi	88	88	88	88	
44¼	44¾	100	Pittsburgh Coal	45⅜	45⅝	45⅜	45⅝	+ ⅛
45¼	45¼	1,000	Pitts. & West Va	46	44¾	44¼	44¼	+ ⅛
27½	27½	400	Pressed Steel Car	45¼	45¼	45¼	45¼	+ 3½
61⅞	62¼	200	Railway Steel Sp	27½	27½	26¾	26¾	+ ⅛
1,600	1,600	1,600	Ray Con. Copper	62¼	62¼	61¼	61¼	+ 1⅜
2,600	2,600	2,600	Reading	50	50¾	50	50½	+ ⅝
1,500	1,500	1,500	Rep. Iron & Steel	23	23½	23	23½	+ ⅛
700	700	700	Royal Dutch t r	72⅝	73¼	72⅝	73¼	+ ⅛
200	200	200	St. Louis-San Fran	73¼	73⅞	73⅛	73½	+ ⅛
400	400	400	Seaboard Air Line	77⅞	77⅞	76⅝	76⅝	+ ⅛
100	100	100	Seab. Air Line pf	8	8	8	8	+ ⅛
800	800	800	Sears, Roeb. & Co	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼	+ ⅛
300	300	300	Shattuck-Arizona	148½	152¼	148½	151¾	+ 3¼
2,300	2,300	2,300	Sinclair Oil & Ref	17	17⅜	17	17⅜	+ ⅛
100	100	100	Sloss-S. Steel & I	34	34	33	33½	+ ⅛
100	100	100	Southern Pacific	40¼	40¼	40¼	40¼	+ ⅛
300	300	300	Southern Railway	82¼	82¼	82¼	82¼	+ ⅛
200	200	200	Southern Ry. pf	22½	22½	22½	22½	+ ⅛
200	200	200	Studebaker Corp	57	57	57	57	+ ⅛
400	400	400	Superior Steel	48	48	48	48	+ ⅛
200	200	200	Tenn. C. & C	35	35	35	35	+ ⅛
7,100	7,100	7,100	Texas Co	13½	13½	13½	13½	+ ⅛
4,700	4,700	4,700	Tobacco Products	146	150	146	150	+ 4½
500	500	500	Union Pacific	52⅜	52⅜	52⅜	53½	+ 1¼
300	300	300	Union Pacific pf	112¼	112¼	112¼	112¼	+ 1½
100	100	100	United Alloy Steel	69½	69½	69½	69½	— ½
6,100	6,100	6,100	United Cigar Stores	37¼	37¼	37¼	37¼	
800	800	800	U. S. Indus. Alco	94¼	96¼	94¼	96¼	
100	100	100	U. S. Rubber	118	118¼	117¼	118	+ 1
100	100	100	U. S. Rub. 1st pf	53½	53½	53½	53½	+ ½
1,400	1,400	1,400	U. S. Sm., R. & M	95	95	95	95	
57,700	57,700	57,700	U. S. Steel	45¾	46½	45¾	46	+ 1
100	100	100	U. S. Steel pf	91	91⅞	90⅝	91⅜	+ ⅞
2,700	2,700	2,700	Utah Copper	100¾	100¾	100¾	100¾	+ ⅞
1,700	1,700	1,700	Va.-Car.- Chemical	82	83¾	82	82	+ ⅛
100	100	100	Wabash	37	38¼	37	38¼	+ ⅛
200	200	200	Wabash pf. A	8	8	8	8	+ ⅛
100	100	100	Western Pacific	40	40	40	40	
2,200	2,200	2,200	Western Union Tel	14	14	14	14	— ⅛
1,000	1,000	1,000	Westingh. E. & M	89	91	89	91	+ 2
100	100	100	White Motors	40	40¾	40	40¾	+ ⅛
2,000	2,000	2,000	Wilson & Co	38¼	38⅜	38¼	38⅜	+ ⅛
1,300	1,300	1,300	Willys-Overland	57	58	56	56	+ ⅛
84	88	100	Worth. Pump pf. A	86½	86½	86½	86½	— ½

FINANCIAL OPERATIONS OF THE CITY.

Chamberlain's Statement Jan. 19, 1918.

CITY TREASURY.

Balance Jan. 12		$18,480,691.52
Receipts—		
Revenues	$2,311,289.89	
Miscellaneous	56,559.04	
Loans:		
Revenue bills	3,000,000.00	
		5,367,848.93
		$23,857,540.45
Payments—		
General administration	$3,785,756.73	
Repayment of temporary loans:		
Revenue bonds and bills	2,000.00	
Redemption of city debt	2,989,000.00	
Interest on city debt	53,776.95	
		6,830,533.68
Balance Jan. 19		$17,027,006.77

SINKING FUNDS.

Balance uninvested Jan. 12		$1,099,782.75
Receipts		3,149,286.86
		$4,249,019.61
Payments		243,027.20
Balance uninvested Jan. 19		$4,005,992.35
Aggregate balances Jan. 19		$21,032,999.12

SHORT TERM NOTES

Government and Municipal Loans.

Security.	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Ask.	Yield.
Am. For. Sec.	5	Aug., 1919	96¼	96¼	7.80
Argen. Gov.	6	May 15, '20	94	95	7.63
City of Mont.	5	May, 1918	98¾	99¼	6.50
City of Que.	5	Aug., 1920	95	96	6.75
Dom. of Can.	5	Aug., 1919	95¼	95⅝	6.50
Fr'chGov. con.	5½	Apr., 1919	96¼	96⅝	6.50
Gov. of N. F.	5	July, 1919	96¼	96½	6.00
Norweg. Gov.	6	Feb., 1928	91	96	7.00
Russian Gov.	6½	July, 1919	100	104	4.90
Russian Gov.	5½	Dec., 1921	41	48½	..
Prov. of Que.	5	Apr., 1920	$83	$86	..
Do rubles	5½	Feb. 15, '26	92	96	6.50
Swiss Gov.	5	Mar., 1918	86	89	..
Swiss Gov.	5	Mar., 1920	99¼	100	5.00

Company Issues.

Am. P. & L.	6	Aug., 1921	90	96	7.00
Am. T. & T.	6	Feb., 1919	99	99¼	6.75
Am. Thread	4	Jan., 1919	96½	97	5.65
Ark. Val. Ry., L. & P.	6	July, 1919	95	98	7.00
B. & O. R. R.	5	July, 1918	99¾	99¾	5.85
B. & O. R. R.	5	July, 1919	98	98¼	6.15
Beth. S. Corp.	5	Feb. 15, '19	97	97¾	8.10
B. R. T.	5	July, 1918	96	96¼	..
C. B. & Q.	4	July, 1921	98¼	98½	5.80
C. & W. Ind.	6	Sep., 1918	98¼	98¼	5.80
Can. Northern	6	Sep. 2, '18	98	99¼	8.00
Can. Pac. R.	6	Mar. 2, '24	98	99	7.00
Cub.-Am. Sug.	6	Apr., 1918	99¾	100¼	6.20
Curt. A. & M.	6	Jan. '18-22	90	96	5.35
Del. & Hud.	6	Aug., 1920	97	97½	6.10
East. P. & L.	5	Mar. 1, '18	..	99½	5.50
Erie R. R.	5	Apr., 1919	93¾	94¼	..
Fed. Sug. R.	5	Jan., 1920	98	96	7.10
Gen. Elec. Co.	6	Dec., 1919	99¾	99¾	6.50
Gen. Elec. Co.	6	July, 1920	99½	99¾	6.25
Gen. Rubber	5	Dec., 1918	97¾	98	7.00
G. A. P.	6	June, 1921	96	100	6.00
G. T. of Can.	5	Aug., 1918	95	98	7.00
Hocking Val.	6	Nov., 1918	96¾	97¼	6.00
Int. Harvest.		Feb. 15, '18	99¾	99¾	6.80
Kan. C. Ry.	5½	July, 1918	98	100¼	6.15
K. C. Ter. Ry.	4½	July, 1920	97¼	98¼	6.65
K. C. Ter. Ry.	4½	July 19, '21	97¼	98¼	5.80
Louis. G. & E.	6	Apr., 1918	99	98	5.00
Mich. C. R. R.	5	May, 1918	99¾	100	6.00
Mont. T. & P.	6	Apr., 1919	..	99¾	6.75
Morgan & W.	5	Dec., 1918	99½	90	..
N. Y. C. R. R.	5	Sep., 1919	97	100¼	4.50
N. Y. N. H. & H.	5	Apr. 15, '18	99¾	97¼	7.10
Penn. Co.	4½	Nov. 15, '18	94¼	99¾	..
P. S. C., N. J.	5	Mar., 1919	99½	99½	6.10
Rem. A. Un. Met. C. Co.	5	Feb. 1, '19	90	92	8.70
Southern. Ry.	5	Mar. 2, '19	98¾	97¼	7.80
United Fruit	5	May, 1918	99¾	100	5.00
Utah Sec. Cor.		Sep. 15, '22	87	85	10.50
Wes. El. & Mfg.	6	Feb., 1919	99¾	99¾	7.10
Wm. R. Arms	5	May, 1918	98	98¾	6.10
W. V. T. & E.	6	May, 1919	99¼	98½	6.10
Win. E. Ry.	6	Jan. 15, '18	..	100	6.00

INTERBORO EARNINGS GAIN.

$3,263,910 for 1917, an Increase of $127,692 Over Previous Year.

The Interborough Consolidated Corporation, which controls through stock ownership the Interborough Rapid Transit Company and the New York Railways Company, earned $3,263,910 net in 1917, a gain of $127,692 over the preceding year. Preferred stock dividends required $2,744,480, and after these and interest charges and taxes had been paid a balance of $519,480 remained.

The management set aside $750,000 to reduce a loan made of the Bankers Trust Company in June, 1916, which lowered the total surplus somewhat, the figure at the end of the year being $1,645,857. The balance sheet showed that the company's property and securities were valued at $120,870,063, an increase over last year.

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MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.

YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
25 railroads	67.70	57.60	57.65	— .06
25 industrials	74.70	73.74	74.33	+ 1.08
50 stocks	66.20	65.67	65.99	+ .51

DAILY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
Jan. 21	66.20	65.67	65.99	+ .51
Jan. 19	65.80	65.25	65.48	+ .22
Jan. 18	65.48	64.80	65.26	— .03
Jan. 17	65.99	64.99	65.26	— .11
Jan. 16	65.47	64.66	65.40	+ .78
Jan. 15	64.96	64.12	64.62	— .14
Jan. 14	65.83	64.69	64.76	— .96

MONTHLY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

	High.		Low.		Last.
*1918	68.27	Jan. 3	64.12	Jan. 15	65.99
1917	90.46	Jan. 4	84.71	Jan. 31	85.21
1916	91.43	Jan. 3	84.47	Jan. 31	85.17
1915	64.68	Jan. 22	60.07	Jan. 2	62.27
1914	73.80	Jan. 31	67.50	Jan. 3	79.97
1913	79.10	Jan. 9	75.00	Jan. 17	77.22
1912	78.63	Jan. 3	75.56	Jan. 31	76.62
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M'ADOO WOULD KEEP RAILROADS FOR TEST

Government Should Retain Them Some Time After the War Ends, He Says.

NEW LAWS NEEDED FIRST

Director Thinks Fuel Order Will Be Very Beneficial and Hopes for Early Relief.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Director General McAdoo told the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee today he thought the Government should retain operation of the railroads for some time after peace came, and not return them to private ownership until new and comprehensive laws had been enacted to govern them. He denied that he had anything to do with the fuel restriction order, but said he approved of the order and thought it would be very beneficial.

"It should be borne in mind," said Mr. McAdoo, "that by the end of the war the public and shippers will be accustomed to dealing with the Government, and I am convinced that a thorough trial should be given at the end of the war before the railroads are turned back to their owners."

An entirely new situation, he thought, would be faced when peace came, that would have to be met by new and comprehensive laws, and it would be injurious to the stockholders to throw the railroads back into private operation without first adopting "comprehensive and rational legislation." This, he thought, would take time.

"Do you personally believe in Government ownership?" asked Senator Watson.

"No," replied Mr. McAdoo, "but I do believe it will be impossible to turn the roads back to their owners under exactly the same system by which they were operated when the Government took them over. There must be some form of Government control."

Senator Watson asked if the railroads under Government control would not continue to operate under their old management except for orders given from time to time by the Director General.

Change in Traffic Routing.

The fundamental principles of operation had been changed by orders already given, Mr. McAdoo said, and others were in contemplation which changed entirely the routing of traffic.

"It must be remembered that the step taken is not permanent," Mr. McAdoo continued. "But in order to handle the situation the Government took the step. The measure is an emergency measure, and the compensation is an emergency step. I am convinced that the basis proposed is fair and reasonable, and I am particularly convinced that it is a fair and reasonable basis because of the peculiar and optional character of the method of control."

Senator Watson asked if the fuel order was to relieve the fuel or the transportation situation.

"I think both," Mr. McAdoo replied. "Not only was the coal distribution unequal, but the congestion interfered with the movement of coal. The weather during the last four weeks has also interfered."

"Were you a party to the proposition?" asked Senator Watson.

"No," Mr. McAdoo replied. "But I approve it. I think it will be a very large benefit. I assume with reasonable weather we are going to improve the situation. I hope the order won't have to stand as long as indicated."

Senator Kellogg asked if Mr. McAdoo believed the power to fix rates should be taken from the Interstate Commerce Commission and the State commissions.

"I think when the President takes over the roads as a war measure it is unwise to have anything that he cannot control," Mr. McAdoo replied. "If I had to make application to the State commissions every time I wanted to fix a demurrage or a new rate, it would destroy the effectiveness of the whole Government control."

Favors Control by President.

Senator Cummins insisted on having Mr. McAdoo's views on taking away from the Interstate Commerce Commission its right to exercise authority over the roads and placing that authority in the hands of the President.

"I do not desire to express any lack of confidence in any board or commission," Mr. McAdoo replied, "but I feel that I would rather place in the control of any President, no matter who he may be, the right to control railroads than in any board or commission."

After Director General McAdoo had undergone a half day's questioning, Senator La Follette declined to permit the examination to end until he had opportunity to ask some further questions. The committee asked Mr. McAdoo to return in the afternoon. At the luncheon recess Mr. McAdoo sent the committee word he could not return today, but would be glad to do so some other time.

The standard return under the pending Railroad bill, to any carrier paying dividends of 5 per cent. or more, should be confined to a payment of interest and dividend obligations, in addition to a guarantee to keep the properties in good condition, maintain their credit, and build necessary improvements, Clifford Thorne, counsel for shippers, argued today before the House Interstate Commerce Committee.

"Let the surplus above dividends be divided equally between the railroad and the Government," Mr. Thorne added. "That will furnish a fund for building of improvements on the railroad property and provide a reserve to take care of the weaker lines. The stockholder should be content if the Government gives him a Government bond for his railroad stock while the war lasts."

Joseph L. Bristow, Chairman of the Kansas Public Utilities Commission, presented figures designed to show that there would be a return of from 8 to 25 per cent. on the common stock of the railroads under the method for fixing compensation provided in the bill. He said that from 4 to 6 per cent. would be sufficient.

Approve McAdoo's Opinion.

Prominent men in railway financial circles, at least such of them as braved the cold and were in their offices yesterday, were not so much interested in Director General McAdoo's statement that the railroads should not be returned to private control immediately after the war as in his statement made on Saturday before the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce, that the Government had no intention of taking up such issues of railroad securities as matured in the period of Government control.

The financial community had been encouraged by reports from Washington that Mr. McAdoo was calling upon the heads of all railroad companies to submit to him figures showing their respective capital needs for the current year. On the whole, with some conspicuous exceptions, banking sentiment regarded Mr. McAdoo's statement favorably, save in so far as there was a feeling that the money market should not have been kept so long in the dark, and even permitted to deceive itself, about such an important matter.

"It is like being slapped in the face with a sponge filled with ice water," said one banker—"disconcerting, but possibly likely to prove stimulating."

One of the foremost American experts in railway finance declared that Mr. McAdoo's position was thoroughly sound, and in the long run would prove far more beneficial to the railroads than the result would have been had they been permitted to "file back in the arms of the Government." It would put the railroads on their mettle, he said, while the Government's guarantee of their earnings would suffice to enable even the weakest of the roads to finance themselves adequately, and thereby to relieve the Government of an added burden. Moreover, if the railroads financed themselves, several banking men pointed out, their position in respect to the return of the properties to their stockholders was likely to be far better than it would be if large sums of Government money had been put into them, which might have acted as a powerful entering wedge toward complete Government ownership.

The total amount of maturing obligations of American railroads for the year 1918 is in round figures $215,000,000, while there are about $40,000,000 of Canadian, Cuban, and similar securities which must also be taken care of in the American money market. The most interesting individual case, in view of the Government's refusal to take up these securities, is that of the New York, New Haven & Hartford, which has a $45,000,000 note issue coming due May 1. Plans had been made for meeting this by an issue of $45,000,000 of 7 per cent. preferred stock, but the success of this plan was not assured at the time the Government took over the road, and since then it has been in abeyance because of the assumption that the Government would take care of the note issue.

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Alpha	.02	Jacket	.07
Alta	.03	Justice	.01
Andes	.11	Mexican	.11
Best & Belcher	.02	Ophir	.15
Caledonia	.03	Overman	.02
Challenge Con.	.04	Potosi	.03
Chollar	.04	Sag. Belcher	.02
Confidence	.08	Sierra Nevada	.15
Con. Virginia	.10	Union Con.	.07
Gould & Curry	.01	Mexican dollars	.69½
Hale & Norcross	.01		

TONOPAH.

Belmont	3.00	Goldfield Cons.	.41
Halifax	.12	Goldfield Merger	.03
Jim Butler	.70	Great Bend	.06
McNamara	.21	Jumbo Extension	.19
Midway	.08	Kewanaa	.07
Mizpah	.06	Silver Pick	.04
Monarch Pitts	.06	Spearhead	.02
Montana	.10	MANHATTAN.	
North Star	.08	Consolidated	.11
Rescue	.08	Morning Glory	.18
TONOPAH.		Union Amalg.	.02
Divide	.30	White Caps	.46
Tonopah Extension	1.60	OTHER DISTRICTS.	
West End	.67	Nevada Hills	.04
West Tonopah	.13	Packard	.12
GOLDFIELD.		Rochester	.31
Atlanta	.10	Round Mountain	.22
Booth	.04	United Eastern	3.75
COLORADO SPRINGS.			

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Cresson	5	5½	Granite	45	50
Dr. J'pot	4	5	Isabella	7	8
Elkton	0¼	1	McKinney	6	10
El Paso	15	20	Portland	100	111
Fanny R.	2	4	U. Gold M.	15	17
Golden C.	178	180	Vindicator	29	31
Gold Sov.		2½			

NEW INCORPORATIONS

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Jan. 21.—Forty-two new corporations, with an aggregate capital stock of $755,500, were chartered today. They include:

Janklow Mfg. Co., Manhattan, goods, wares, and merchandise, and real estate $5,000; M. S. Honken, J. M. Schwartz, N. H. Janklow, 642 Willoughby Av., Brooklyn.

G. Nassauer & Co., Ltd., Manhattan, stock and bond brokers, $10,000; H. Whitefield, E. Henrikson, G. Nassauer, 27 William St.

American Mustard Co., Manhattan, $10,000; R. H. Gay, E. Appelquist, H. W. Goddard, 61 East 73d St.

17 West 50th Street Corp., Manhattan, realty, $10,000; J. McGrath, W. E. Cuff, C. R. Allison, 111 Broadway.

The Rosenberg Printing Co., Manhattan, $10,000; A. H. Rosenberg, H. J. Kahn, J. J. Geerwitch, 321 East 21st St.

J. B. Vander Veer & Son, Geneva, auto and garage business, $20,000; K. B., R. L., and J. B. Vander Veer, Geneva.

Igood Realty Co., Manhattan, real estate and mortgage broker, $10,000; H., D., and I. Goodstein, 86 West 119th St.

Interstate Enamel Ware, Manhattan, $10,000; G. J. Kluyskens, I. V. Kass, E. B. Horowitz, 170 Broadway.

Hallowpton Co., Manhattan, airplanes, $100,000; P. C. Hewitt, S. S. Wheeler, F. B. Crocker, 44 West 45th St.

Buffalo Aeroplane Corp., Buffalo, $100,000; W. V. Moot, L. R. Gullck, S. F. Carr, Buffalo.

Albert F. Gans, Manhattan, electrolysis investigations and systems for minimising same, 100 shares preferred stock $100 each, 400 shares common stock no par value, actual capital $12,000; E. L. Hegeman, R. F. Jacobus, F. L. R. Francisco, 511 Fifth Av.

Tell Press Bureau, Manhattan, $15,000; E. S. Prather, A. Dulin, E. N. Aikins, 52 Liberty St.

Starlite Mfg. Co. Manhattan, novelties and Christmas tree trimmings, $10,000; W. Warden, H. A. Vieu, C. F. Swart, 320 Broadway.

Rebecca Werner Realty Corp., Manhattan, $50,000; S. and S. and R. Werner, 251 West 92d St.

The Wills-Egelhoff Co., Manhattan, construction and contracting, $150,000; J. Jr., J. J. Egelhoff, G. B. Wills, 101 Park Av.

Metro Cloak and Suit Mfg. Co., Manhattan, $5,000; N. Weissman, A. Brown, P. Slater, 150 Nassau St.

Monoson Fur Co., Manhattan, $15,000; H. and M. and E. Monosson, 18 West 31st St.

Paul Irving of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, autos and accessories, $10,000; M. and P. and I. Rosen, 840 Macon St., Brooklyn.

Speedway Gasoline Co., Queens, $10,000; D. and D. H. Bockstein, A. S. Solom, 574 St. Nicholas Av.

Summitville Ore Concentrating Co., Manhattan, $70,000; K. L. Alexander, M. Anelli, E. Powers, 15 Broad St.

The Bargain Basement, Manhattan, merchandise of all kinds, $10,000; C. A. Davidson, S. S. Kaufman, L. N. Haiblum, 41 Wall St.

Putnam & Co., Manhattan, ladders, overhead tracking, and hardware, $75,000; H. McInnes, M. Kornfeld, S. Putnam, 32 Howard St.

David & David, Manhattan, mercantile business, $10,000; H. Hymes, F. Segal, S. R. Lass, 10 Pinehurst Av.

The Klauber Trading Corp., Manhattan, $81,200; F. M. Hahn, S. F. Hartman, J. A. Leyes, 601 West 112th St.

R. S. Baldwin Co., Manhattan, machinery goods and wares, $10,000; E. A., E. G., and E. S. Baldwin, 39 Cortlandt St.

Sheba Trading Corp., Manhattan, $25,000; L. E. Loskamp, L. E. Sherman, A. J. Dimond, 82 Beaver St.

M. Salisch & Co., Manhattan, fruits, produce, and vegetables, $9,000; D. Eichenbaum, C. E. Furruan, M. Salisch, 936 Fox St.

CAPITAL INCREASES.

F. A. Foster & Co., Inc., Manhattan, $500,000 to $750,000.

Taylor-Shantz Co., Rochester, $20,000 to $80,000.

Berkshire Mills, Manhattan, $10,000 to $162,000.

The Fatherland Corp., Manhattan, $100,000 to $150,000.

AUTHORIZATIONS.

Gasoline Economy Co., Del., $100,000; representative, H. S. Gould, 37 Wall St.

REVOCATION AND NEW DESIGNATION.

Federal X-Ray Co., Ill.; new representative, R. E. Williams, 50 East 42d St.

Auer & Twitchell, Inc., Del.; new representative, F. W. Fugle. Address changed from 233 Broadway to 16 Waverley Place.

DISSOLUTIONS.

Lindsley, Desmond & Co., Manhattan.
Twin Lakes Realty Corp., Manhattan.
Goldberg-Cady Co., Rockaway Beach.
The C. J. Seaman Co., Buffalo.
Oneill Trucking Co., Manhattan.
The R. & T. Waist Co., Manhattan.
J. Lahn & Co., Manhattan.
M. J. Robinson.
Norton & Co., Manhattan.

New Jersey Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, Jan. 21.—Charters filed:

Seacoast Food Products Co., Asbury Park, $20,000; George P. Lehritter, Joseph H. Bryan, and J. O. Rhome, all of Asbury Park.

Standard Wire Co., Passaic, $50,000; J. W. Laffer, H. J. Laffer, and L. E. Laffer, all of Paterson.

Chestnut Realty Co., Newark, $50,000; H. M. Klein, Samuel Klein, and Morris Roth, all of Newark.

Delaware Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

DOVER, Jan. 21.—Charters filed:

The King Engineering Corp., Tulsa, Okla.; M. E. Cline, N. S. King, L. S. Cogswell, all of Tulsa, Okla.

Mutual Oil and Gas Co., $1,000,000; G. S. Devin, B. F. Cowan, P. Zak, all of Chicago.

CHANGE OF NAME.

F. E. Crause, New York, to F. E. Crause Importing Co.

COMMODITIES MARKETS

WHEAT.

The visible supply of wheat in the United States, including native and Canadian, decreased 1,101,000 bushels for the week, and the total was 16,262,000 bushels, compared with 72,259,000 a year ago. Receipts at primary points showed a moderate increase, indicating improvement in traffic conditions. At the same time mills, especially in the Southwest, were complaining of difficulty in securing wheat to grind. Complaints were received from Texas regarding Winter killing of Fall-sown grain, and considerable apprehension was felt regarding the condition of the crop in that locality, where Fall germination was very poor owing to the prolonged drought.

RYE—Market steady. No. 2 Western, $2.02, cost and freight, New York.

CORN.

A holiday trade prevailed in the corn market owing to heatless Monday. Most of the big grain houses confined their interest to transactions of a banking character, and closed as early as possible. The undertone of the market, however, was barely steady owing to the fact that receipts at primary points were larger. This was believed to be a forerunner of a general improvement in the movement. Western houses maintain that there is a very large amount of corn now in transit, and that if weather conditions continue favorable this can be expected to show up at the terminals very shortly. The total visible supply in the United States increased 445,000 bushels for the week, bringing the total to 8,976,000, compared with 8,568,000 a year ago. The local cash market was nominally easier. Kiln dried, No. 3 yellow, $1.77; No. 3 mixed, $1.72, cost and freight, New York, prompt shipment, subject to embargo; Argentine, $2, cost and freight, to arrive.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
January	1.27¾	1.27½	1.27¾	1.27¾	...
March	1.25¾	1.25½	1.25¾	1.25¾	...
May	1.24¼	1.23¾	1.24¼	1.24¼	1.01⅜

OATS.

The oats market showed an easier tone early, owing to prospective larger receipts and a disposition on the part of longs to liquidate outstanding accounts. Evidences of some export inquiry, however, caused a rally, and at the close prices were steady, ranging from ⅛c lower to ⅛c net higher. The visible supply in the United States decreased 766,000 bushels, and the total was 15,835,000, compared with 45,524,000 last year. The local cash market was unsettled, natural and clipped white oats being quoted at 99c to $1 in elevator.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
January	75¾	75¾	79	79	..
March	77¼	77¼	78	78¼	..
May	76¼	75¾	76¼	76¼	53⅜

PROVISIONS.

Larger receipts of hogs than expected caused a slightly easier tone to the provision market. Operations, however, were of small proportions and toward the close of the day pork developed more or less firmness and lard and ribs were steady. Receipts of hogs at Chicago were 48,000, estimated for Tuesday, 26,000; Kansas City received 11,000, and Omaha, 9,400.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Lard—					
January	24.77	24.75	24.75	24.82	15.90
May	25.02	24.97	25.00	25.02	16.25
Ribs—					
January	24.02	24.00	24.02	24.02	15.15
May	24.45	24.40	24.42	24.45	15.45
Pork—					
January			47.20	47.10	30.40
May	45.90	45.75	45.87	45.80	29.20

COTTONSEED OIL.

The market for cottonseed oil was very inactive, and as there seemed to be little prospect of any increased interest the trade decided to close at noon, as the cotton market was closed and the effects of heatless Monday seemed to discourage business. The undertone was a little easier, and final quotations were 8 points lower. Range of prices:

			Close.	Prev. Close.
Spot			20.20	20.30
January			20.30	20.38
February			20.30	20.35
March			20.30	20.35
April			20.30	20.30
May			20.30	20.35

COFFEE.

Disregarding the lack of light and heat, the coffee market fairly boiled yesterday with bull enthusiasm and made new high records for the present upward movement. Deliveries from July on sold above 9 cents, and the whole market, after opening 3 to 6 points higher, made steady gains throughout the session, with final prices 25 to 29 points net higher, and at practically best levels of the day. July contracts reached 9.04 and September 9.28 in the early afternoon trading. The market closed at 1 o'clock, as it will each Monday hereafter during the period established by the Fuel Administrator as Monday holidays, but there was more business transacted in the short session than there has been in many a full day's trading in some weeks.

The local spot market continued very firm at 8¾c for Rio 7s and 10¾c for Santos 4s.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
January	..	..	8.35@8.40	8.08
February	..	..	8.35@8.40	8.10
March	8.62	8.36	8.62@8.63	8.33
April	..	..	8.73@8.74	8.45
May	8.88	8.64	8.85@8.86	8.58
June	..	..	8.94@8.95	8.66
July	9.04	8.81	9.03@9.04	8.75
August	..	..	9.13@9.14	8.84
September	9.23	8.98	9.22@9.23	8.94
October	..	..	9.29@9.30	9.01
November	..	..	9.38@9.37	9.08
December	9.45	9.20	9.44@9.45	9.16

SUGAR.

The production of refined sugar is being interfered with by the shortage of coal and refiners are making only very small allotments to the local trade, out-of-town orders being practically neglected. The receipts of raw sugar at United States Atlantic ports are increasing and advices from Cuba say that rapid progress is being made there, over 175 mills being in operation, with the weather favorable. The arrivals of raw sugar at Cuban ports, however, are much larger than shipments, due to the fact that there are many sugar ships lying in the New York harbor awaiting bunker coal, which has caused a scarcity of vessels in Cuba. The International Sugar Committee posted no fresh sales, and quotations remained unchanged at the equivalent of 6.005c duty paid for centrifugal.

BUTTER AND EGG MARKET.

BUTTER.—Receipts yesterday, 4,285 packages. Stock is coming in slowly and the market is so lightly supplied with desirable grades of fresh creamery that prices advanced fully 1c, and the feeling is firm at the higher rates. Storage creamery very active. Renovated doing a little better, and ladles and packing stock still favor the seller. Creamery, higher than extras, per pound, 54½@56c; extras (92 score), 54c; firsts, (88 to 91 score,) 49½@53½c; seconds, (83 to 87 score,) 46@49c; thirds, 43@45c; creamery, unsalted, higher than extras, 56½@57c; extras, 55½@56c; firsts, 51@55c; seconds, 47½@50c; creamery, held, extras, 47c; firsts, 46½@47c; seconds, 44½@46c; thirds, 42@44c; State dairy, tubs, finest, 53@53½c; good to prime, 49@52c; common to fair, 45@48c; renovated, extras, 44@44½c; firsts, 42½@43½c; lower grades, 39@41½c; ladles, current make, firsts, 39½@40c; seconds, 39c; lower grades, 37@38½c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 39c; No. 2, 38c@38½c; lower grades, 35@37½c.

EGGS.—2,977 cases. Fresh eggs continue extremely scarce. Several cars of California whites are coming in, and sales of these have been in general at 72c that we make no higher quotations. A car sold at auction at 71½c for the primes and 68½c for the pullets. Prices for all good to fine fresh are drawing close enough and Western and Southern show some further improvement when free from frost. Nearby stock steady to firm. Storage eggs irregular. Most holders are trying to get prices up on a calculation of Food Administration instructions and are selling at a range of 46@47c for good stock, but they pick their customers, and many dealers who are unable to obtain stock at these prices would pay more—up to 50c or higher—could they get stock urgently needed. Holders who have stock free to be sold at these natural values are generally afraid to accept such offerings. Under these circumstances we find no basis for quotations. Fresh gathered extras, per dozen, 71@72c; extra firsts, 70c; firsts, 68@69c; seconds, 60@67c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby Western, hennery whites, fine to fancy, 75c; ordinary to good, 70@74c; gathered whites, ordinary to fine, 68@74c; Western and Southern, gathered whites, 68@72c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby hennery browns, 72@73c; gathered brown and mixed colors, 68@73c.

SAYS WAR BUSINESS IS MANAGED BADLY

Speech by Director of Jersey Manufacturers' Council Starts Warm Debate.

BUT COUNSELS OBEDIENCE

Dr. A. C. Humphreys Also Calls for Changes—Col. Colgate Defends Administration.

Dissatisfaction with the Government's management of industrial activities, particularly in connection with the coal situation, caused vigorous debate yesterday when the Manufacturers' Council of the New Jersey State Chamber of Commerce met at the Robert Treat Hotel, Newark. The criticism began in the opening address of Warren C. King, Director of the council, who said:

"The effect of the conditions which resulted in the issuance of the order by the Fuel Administrator is to bring home to each and every person east of the Mississippi River a true realization that the business of war, as carried on by the United States, has been, to say the least, badly managed. This country is not going to the devil, and if Dr. Garfield and Mr. McAdoo are unable to cope with the situation, there is somebody in the country who can handle it in such a manner that the shackles that are now around the limbs of industry will be stricken off."

Mr. King declared that it was the duty of every business man to obey the orders of the Government as implicitly as a soldier, but the criticism in his speech moved Colonel Austen Colgate, the next speaker, to defend the Administration, declaring that if the closing of stores and factories involved any hardship it was only small compared with those of the soldiers. President Alexander C. Humphreys of Stevens Institute criticised both the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy, declaring that there was need of a new order of things at Washington to bring about greater efficiency, and called upon the President to dismiss the men who failed to lighten him of their share of a burden greater than any man before had ever shouldered.

Plea for Competent Officials.

"President Wilson never had a high opinion of the honesty of business men," Dr. Humphreys said. "By training he is not qualified to pick competent men for practical positions. He is a fine character, and as patriotic a man as there is in this country, but he has not the knack of picking good advisers and men to manage the affairs of the country. We realize he is shouldering as heavy responsibilities as any man has ever been called upon to shoulder, but it is our duty to help him shoulder these responsibilities by urging the selection of competent men."

Dr. Humphreys described Mr. Baker as a "pronounced pacifist," some of whose actions were "absolutely sickening." He quoted a remark said to have been made by Mr. Baker that the war was 3,000 miles away, and said: "Think of the flippancy of that remark, and the flippancy of this man's attitude." His reference to Secretary Baker as "another large man" was greeted with applause.

Dr. Humphreys said that Dr. Garfield was not to blame for his appointment. "He is to blame for accepting the appointment when he knew he wasn't qualified for the job," he added. Secretary Daniels came in for criticism because he once advocated, according to Dr. Humphreys, that naval officers be trained in public speaking so as to make a good impression abroad. "We don't want after-dinner speakers in the navy," declared Dr. Humphreys. "We want men who are trained in the art of fighting."

William A. Cotter, a member of the New Jersey bar and President of the State Exempt Firemen's Association, but a resident of New York, got up as Dr. Humphreys concluded and said:

"When men speak against the Government my ire rises. It is nonsense to criticise past mistakes. I believe there are good men at the head of the Government." At this point he was interrupted by cries of "Tie the can to that," "Put it in a phonograph record," "You're out of order," and "Sit down." Mr. King, who was presiding, informed Mr. Cotter he was out of order, and the latter, after attempts to resume were drowned by catcalls and hisses, left the meeting.

Mr King, in his introductory address, gave an account of some of the causes of the fuel shortage and traffic congestion.

"The cause of the trouble," he said, "goes further back than the recent stoppage of shipments through failure to fill bunkers. One cause goes back to the day when the Government fixed the price of coal. Coal was being mined and shipped in sufficient quantities to supply every need until the price was established at such a figure that it did not pay to operate the mines. From six weeks to two months of intensive mining was lost at a time when the weather was best for production and transportation. Dr. Garfield has assured us that there was plenty of coal at the mines, but there were not enough cars and engines to move the coal.

"The underlying cause of all, then, appears to be that the congestion, which manufacturers know does not apply to the seaboard alone but to every junction point east of the Mississippi, is really caused by lack of transportation facilities. The real trouble is congestion everywhere. The causes are three—primary, failure of the Interstate Commerce Commission to grant the railroads the advances in rates; contributory, fixing of price on coal, causing slowing down of mining and shipping; final, tying up of ships. The effect is completely to paralyze business at a time when every energy should be devoted to production.

"Business Is to Win the War."

"We, the people of the United States, are in business as a country, as a nation, and that business is to win the war. We have taken a contract. The contract reads: 'We, the people of the United States of America, hereby sell to and agree to deliver to our allies in Europe, Asia, or wherever they may be throughout the world such men, arms, ammunition, foodstuffs, and supplies as may be needed by our allies during the period of the war.'

"To remove the cause of our present difficulties, our Congress must immediately make available whatever sum of money is needed to properly equip our railroads. The railroads must be provided with rolling stock and additional terminal facilities at once.

"When an order comes from those in whom we have invested temporary authority to govern us we should obey the order."

Resolutions were adopted favoring the bill to create a war Cabinet of three distinguished citizens.

The question of whether or not employers should pay their hands during the enforced idleness due to the Garfield fuel order was fully discussed, but it was decided to let that matter rest with the individual employers.

EARNINGS.

Public Utilities.

CONSOLIDATED GAS CO. of New York for year ended Dec. 31—

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Oper. income	$2,588,279	$3,217,512	$3,522,220
Gross income	9,239,296	10,147,620	10,222,002
Net income	7,741,077	8,634,464	8,502,567
Sur. after div.	753,922	1,667,309	1,705,544

INTERBOROUGH CONSOLIDATED for year ended Dec. 31—

	1917.	1916.	Increase.
Total income	6,955,866	6,981,357	24,509
Net income	3,283,910	3,136,218	197,692
Total surplus	2,305,357	2,225,378	169,479
Profit and loss surplus	1,645,357	1,875,878	*230,521

NEVADA-CAL. ELECTRIC and subsidiaries—

Nov. gross	149,643	140,380	9,043
Net after tax	85,141	88,463	*3,322
Sur. aft. chgs.	33,440	33,385	154
11 mos. gross	1,825,934	1,393,263	432,671
Net after tax	1,012,192	855,882	156,310
Sur. aft. chgs.	448,153	344,924	106,229

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON—

Nov. gross	609,690	687,843	*78,143
Net after tax	375,701	411,040	*35,940
Sur. aft. chgs.	159,890	221,551	*61,661
Other income	23,816		*37,845
Total income	183,705	221,551	*358,194
12 mos. gross	8,116,067	8,374,201	110,268
Net after tax	5,144,976	5,034,707	20,244
Sur. aft. chgs.	2,758,041	2,732,687	106,519
Other income	195,819		181,563
Total income	2,924,249	2,782,687	POWER—
VIRGINIA RAILWAY &			
Dec. gross	638,062	526,815	111,743
Net	293,290	275,790	14,000
Total income	301,593	285,904	15,688
Sur. after tax and charges	145,294	131,197	14,096
6 mos. gross	3,584,329	2,977,281	606,048
Net	1,646,098	1,516,926	129,747
Total income	1,703,129	1,567,822	135,307
Sur. after tax and charges	764,418	671,207	93,211

*Decrease.

Miscellaneous.

ST. LOUIS, ROCKY MOUNTAIN & PACIFIC—

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Nov. gross	402,022	251,026	212,339
Net after tax	99,375	80,456	66,319
Sur. aft. chgs.	68,552	49,276	34,812
5 mos. gross	1,784,380	1,124,080	1,171,075
Net after tax	464,223	340,421	334,295
Sur. aft. chgs.	297,643	180,443	163,804

RAILWAY EQUIPMENT BONDS.

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Balt. & Ohio	1918-'27	4½-6%	6.20	5.70
Buff., Roch. & P.	1918-'30	4½	6.00	5.25
Can. Pacific	1918-'28	4½	6.50	6.00
Ches. & Ohio	1918-'27	4½	6.25	5.50
Chi. & N. W.	1918-'22	4½	5.80	5.00
C., R. I. & P.	1918-'27	4½-5%	6.70	6.00
C., St. L. & N.O.	1918-'24	5	6.00	5.20
C., C. C. & St. L.	1918-'29	5	6.00	5.90
Del. & Hudson	1922	4½	6.00	5.50
Erie Railroad	1918-'27	4½-5%	6.70	6.00
Illinois Central	1918-'28	4½-5%	6.00	5.00
Louis. & Nash.	1918-'23	5	6.00	5.00
Michigan Central	1918-'30	5	6.00	5.50
Mo., Kan. & Tex.	1918-'23	5	6.90	6.00
Missouri Pacific	1918-'22	5	6.90	6.00
Mobile & Ohio	1918-'28	4½-5%	6.75	6.00
N. Y. Central	1918-'62	4½-5%	6.80	5.70
Norfolk & West.	1918-'24	4½	5.75	5.00
N. Y., N.H. & H.	1918-'23	4-4½	6.75	6.00
Penn. Gen. Fr.	1918-'23	4-5½	5.75	5.00
St. Louis S. W.	1918-'26	4½-5%	6.75	6.00
Seaboard A. L.	1918-'26	5	6.90	6.25
Southern Pac.	1918-'34	4½	6.00	5.50
Southern Ry.	1918-'24	4½-5%	6.75	6.00

German Bank Statement.

BERLIN, Jan. 21, (via London.)—The statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany, issued Jan. 15, shows the following changes:

	Marks.
Total coin and bullion increased	3,324,000
Gold increased	126,000
Treasury notes decreased	79,659,000
Notes of other banks decreased	230,000
Bills discounted decreased	382,894,000
Advances increased	66,000
Investments increased	6,370,000
Other securities decreased	56,183,000
Notes in circulation decreased	290,370,000
Deposits decreased	321,988,000
Other liabilities increased	50,859,000

Total gold holdings, 2,468,960,000 marks.

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THREE NEW SCHOOLS PLANNED BY BOARD

First Steps Taken to Relieve Overcrowding in Brooklyn and the Bronx.

TO CUT PART-TIME CLASSES

Coney Island to Get New Building Under Recommendations to be Made Tomorrow.

The Board of Education, acting as a committee of the whole yesterday, took the first steps to relieve the overcrowding in the public schools. It decided to make three recommendations to the board at its regular meeting tomorrow.

One was that Superintendent Snyder of the public school buildings prepare plans for new Public School 57, 180th Street, near Crotona Avenue, the Bronx. The Board of Superintendents does not favor the carrying out of the original plans that have been under consideration for several months. The sum of $543,474 was appropriated by the Board of Estimate on May 19, 1916, for the erection of this building. Probably no school in any part of the greater city is more urgently needed than this one. Public School 32, a short distance to the northward of the site of Public School 57, has a register of 4,129, with 1,975 sittings. The excess of register over sittings is 2,153. There are seventy-one classes on part time, with a register of 3,095. Ninety-six classes are housed in forty-four rooms. Public School 32 has now three annexes, occupying eleven classrooms. These should be abandoned, it is claimed.

Public School 44, at Prospect Avenue and East 176th Street, six blocks southward from School 57, has an excess of 1,155 pupils over the sittings. Seventy classes are housed in forty-five rooms on a duplicate plan of organization. The erection of School 57 is imperatively needed, it is asserted, in order to eliminate many of the objectionable features of the duplicate school plan as organized in Schools 32, 44, and 45.

The Board of Superintendents recommended that the new building should be of forty-eight classrooms to accommodate both boys and girls from kindergarten to 8-B grades inclusive. In addition to standardized auditorium kindergarten, domestic science room, elementary woodworking room, music room, study room, and library. It should contain a sewing and dressmaking room, a drawing room, a manual training room, and the usual offices and teachers' rooms, a medical room, a dental clinic, and shower baths.

Another recommendation to the Board of Education is that a building for new Public School 29, Henry, Harrison, and Baltic Streets, Brooklyn, be designed on the plans of Public School 93, Queens. The site for this building was acquired on June 2, 1915. The present public school is housed in one of the oldest school buildings in Brooklyn, being located at the corner of Columbia and Amity Streets. It is unsuitable for school purposes, not having been erected originally for them. It was built in 1865. It has inadequate play space, both indoor and out. It now contains twenty-one classes, between 1-A and 6-B. The new school will have more central location and will give relief to Public Schools 6, 15, 46, and 58, in which group the register exceeds the sittings by more than 1,200. There has been a steady growth in the population in these schools within the last four or five years.

If Public School 29 is erected without delay, it is claimed that it will not be necessary to build an addition to Public School 6. It will have forty-eight classrooms for boys and girls of all elementary school grades and in addition for classes of the ninth year. The roofs of the auditorium and of the main building could be constructed for playground purposes.

The third recommendation is that an additional building be erected for Public School 80, East Seventeenth Street, near Neptune Avenue, Coney Island. The sum of $310,230 was appropriated on May 18, 1917, for this purpose. This school has probably the worst condition of overcrowding of any school in Brooklyn at the present time. The register is 2,556, with 1,099 sittings. There are fifty-three classes in twenty-three rooms and 2,048 children are on part time. No relief can be afforded by transferring any of these pupils to any neighboring schools. The present school building has not an auditorium, a gymnasium, nor a workshop.

There will be another meeting of the committee of the whole at 3:30 P. M. on Friday.

STOP ON WOODEN SHIPS.

Lumber and Labor Shortage Only Temporary, Piez Explains.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Stoppage of the wooden shipbuilding is only temporary and is due to the lack of material and labor, Charles Piez, General Manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, today told the Senate Investigating Committee. Lumber could be delivered to Pacific Coast yards, he said, but vessels under construction in the East must be completed as quickly as possible, and available material is being sent to the Atlantic Coast and Gulf.

There is not enough material in sight to build the 400 wooden ships contracted for, Mr. Piez said. Friction between Government agencies supplying spruce timber for the Aircraft Board and those trying to get out timber for shipbuilding Mr. Piez hoped to settle through an investigation the fleet corporation recently began. Investigators already have been sent to the far Western timber fields, he said.

Senator Jones contended that some of the Pacific yards which soon would complete ships should receive new contracts, but Mr. Piez said that no new contracts would be given at this time.

Henry Howard, Director of recruiting service for merchant marine, told the committee that he believed there would not be a shortage of officers or men to man the new ships as they came from the yards. He outlined an extensive plan of training now being prosecuted.

The committee expects to hear William Denman, ex-Chairman of the Shipping Board, tomorrow.

BOSTON CURB.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
American Oil	17	18	Iron Blossom	45	50
Bay State Gas	9	10	Iron Cap	18¾	19
Begole	70	75	Jerome Verde	70	75
Bingham Min.	9¾	10	La Rose	30	35
Boston Ely	65	75	Majestic	28	30
Bost. & Mont.	43	45	Mex. Metals	30	32
Butte & Lon.	10	12	Mojave Tung.	5	6
Butte & Det.	16	20	New Baltic	.90	1¼
Bost. & Arlz.	1	2	Nat. Z. & L.	18	20
Calaveras	1	1⅜	New Cornelia	16¼	16¾
Crown Res.	18	22	Nevada Doug.	95	1
Con. Arizona	1⅞	2	Nixon Nevada	1¼	1½
Corbin	6	10	Oneco	.80	40
Champ. Cop.	6	8	Onondaga	.15	25
Chief Cons.	2	2½	Ray Hercules	3¾	3¾
Eagle & B. B.	2	2½	Rilia	1¼	2½
Earl-Eagle	1	2	S. W. Miami, part paid	.75	1
Fortuna	5	7	S. W. Miami, full paid	1	1½
Gold Lake	2	5	Un. Verde Ex.	.30	35½
Gila Cop. Sul.	17	17½	Victoria Min.	1¼	2
Houghton	.50	70	Yukon Gold.	1¾	2
Homa Oil	57	62			
Humboldt	.60	75			

DECLARED DIVIDENDS.

Company.	Rate.	Per-iod.	Pay-able.	Hold. of Record.
Brier Hill Steel	1½	Q	Apr. 1	Mar. 20
Brier Hill Steel pf.	1¾	Q	Apr. 1	Mar. 20
National Biscuit	1¾	Q	Apr. 15	Mar. 30
National Biscuit pf.	1¾	Q	Feb. 28	Feb. 16
Pullman Co.	2	Q	Feb. 15	Jan. 31

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Claude Meeker, 71 Broadway, has issued a circular describing the Ohio Cities Gas Company.

R. C. Megargel & Co. have issued a review of the railroads under Government control in their bi-monthly publication, "Securities Suggestions."

A. G. Housman & Co. have prepared a circular treating of coffee as a peace commodity.

WAR AIDS SOUTH AMERICA.

Trade with United States Now More Than Double That in 1913.

The extent to which the European war is welding trade relations between the United States and South America was indicated in a statement made public yesterday by the National City Bank, which showed that trade of this country with South America in the calendar year 1917 was two and one-half times as great as in 1913. Imports from South America in 1917 aggregated $575,000,000, against $198,000,000 in 1913, while exports in 1917 exceeded $300,000,000, against $147,000,000 in 1915, and only $91,000,000 in 1914, the year in which the war began. South America's total imports in 1913 were about $1,000,000,000, while in 1914 they were but little more than $800,000,000, and have shown only very slight increases since.

The large increase in imports from South America occurred chiefly in wool, hides, copper, and nitrate of soda. The wool imported from that continent in 1917 aggregated approximately $100,000,000, against about $6,000,000 in 1913; nitrate of soda approximately $90,000,000 in 1917, against $22,000,000; copper about $70,000,000 in 1917, against $27,000,000 in 1913; cocoa about $17,000,000, against $5,000,000 in 1913, and tin approximately $4,000,000 in 1917, against nothing in 1913. In exports cotton cloths aggregated for 1917 approximately $10,000,000, against $3,000,000 in 1913; tinplate, $10,000,000 in 1917, against $500,000 in 1913, while coal in 1917 amounted to $5,000,000, compared with $1,000,000 in 1913.

CORN CROP MUST BE MOVED.

Governors Wire McAdoo to Act Lest Much of It Be Lost.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Telegrams from the Governors of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Ohio, and Kansas, declaring that unless the corn crop is moved within the next few weeks much of it will be lost, were laid before Director General McAdoo today by Representative McCormick of Illinois, who requested that a practical railroad man be appointed to take charge of moving it.

Governor Lowden of Illinois telegraphed that practically 80 per cent. of the Illinois corn crop would have to be moved within the next few weeks or there would be serious loss. From Iowa Governor Harding telegraphed that practically no corn in his State had been shipped, or even stored in elevators.

"We should have every car possible in the State for moving our corn," he added.

Governor Goodrich of Indiana sent word that only 5 per cent. of Indiana's corn crop has been moved, and that 60 per cent. of the State's harvest of 2,000,000 bushels still was on the farms, and only 1 per cent. in the country elevators.

Ohio, according to Governor Cox, has marketed 20 per cent. of its corn crop and 75 per cent. is still on the farms.

Governor Capper telegraphed from Kansas that only 10 per cent. of the State's merchantable corn crop had been moved, and less than 10 per cent. was in the country elevators, which must be moved before March 1.

Nebraska is the only State where the corn situation is normal, according to these reports.

UNITED STATES GOVT. BONDS

Inasmuch as the bulk of business in United States Government bonds is done over the counter, and not on the Stock Exchange, THE TIMES gives the following quotations, obtained from bond dealers:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
2s, registered, 1930	96½	97½	2s, conversion, 1947	84	88
2s, coupon, 1930	96½	97½	4s, registered, 1925	104½	105½
2s, coupon, '38, reg	96½	97½	4s, coupon, 1925	104½	105½
3s, registered, 1918	99	100	2s, Panama, '36, coupon	96	97
3s, coupon, 1918	99	100	3s, Panama, '61, reg	82	86
3s, registered, 1946	84	88	3s, Panama, '61, coupon	82	86
3s, coupon, 1946	84	88			

NEW YORK CITY BONDS

	Yester-day. Bid.	Yester-day. Ask.	Satur-day. Bid.
4½s July, 1967	95¾	96¼	95¾
4½s June, 1965	95¾	96¼	95¾
4½s Mar., 1933	95¾	96¼	95½
4½s Nov., 1957	96	96½	96
4½s May, 1957	96	96½	96
4½s Mar., 1960-80	89½	90¾	89½
4½s April, 1966	89¾	90¾	89¾
4½s Mar., 1964	89¾	90¾	89¾
4½s May, 1962	89¾	90½	89¾
4½s Sept., 1960	89¾	90½	89¾
4s May, 1959	86½	87½	86½
4s Nov., 1958	86¼	87¼	86½
4s May, 1957	86½	87¼	86½
4s Nov., 1956	84½	86	84½
4s Nov., 1955	84½	86	84½
4s Nov., 1936	89	..	89
4s May, 1919	98½	..	98½
4s Nov., 1918	99	..	99
3½s Nov., 1954	..	80	..
3½s May, 1954	..	77	79
3½s Nov., 1955	..	80	..

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

4½s 1924-1931	4.90	4.60	4.90
4½s 1923-1928	4.90	4.60	4.90
4½s April, 1920	4.90	4.60	4.90
4½s 1918-1919	4.90	..	4.90
3½s 1940-1963	5.00	4.70	5.00
3½s 1930-1999	5.00	4.70	5.00
3½s 1922-1929	5.00	4.70	5.00
3½s 1918	5.00	4.70	5.00
3s 1940-1963	5.00	4.70	5.00
3s 1926-1960	5.00	4.70	5.00
3s 1918-1925	5.00	4.70	5.00

CURB TRANSACTIONS

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.	High.	Low.	Last.
1,500 ‡Aetna Expl.	7⅛	6⅝	6¾
50 A.-B.Mfg.pf.	20	18	18
500 ‡At. Fr. &S.	2	2	2
100 ‡Car. L. & P.	2¼	2¼	2¼
800 Chev. Motor.	108	105	107
1,500 ‡Cup. Sulph.	1⅝	1½	1⅝
100 Curtiss Aero.	26	26	26
425 ‡Elec. Gun.	⅞	¾	¾
300 ‡Hall Signal	7⅞	7½	7⅞
100 Interc. Rub.	9	9	9
150 ‡Int. Trad.	1¼	1	1⅛
200 Ang.-Am. Oil	13¼	13½	13¼
2,000 Do rights	2¾	2⅝	2½
25 St.O.of Cal.	235	234	235

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

10 St.O.of.N.J.	550	550	550
40 St.O.of N.Y.	271	268	271

MISCELLANEOUS OIL STOCKS.

1,000 ‡Am. Oil	19	19	19
9,600 ‡Am.Ven.O.	12	10	12
800 ‡Barn.O.& G.	1½	1½	1½
5,000 ‡Bos.-Wyo.	24	23	24
2,500 ‡Cos. & Co.	7¼	7	7⅛
100 ‡ Do pf.	3¾	3¾	3¾
2,800 ‡Crown Oil	1½	1½	1½
2,700 Cumb.P.& R.	1¼	1¼	1¼
3,200 ‡Dubbs Oil	60	57	59
9,200 ‡Elk.O.& G., (a pros.)	⅛	⅛	⅛
1,000 ‡Esmer. Oil	⅞	⅞	⅞
200 ‡Federal Oil	2¾	2½	2¾
2,100 ‡Glenrock Oil	3¾	3¾	3½
600 ‡Han.O.& R.	7¼	6¾	7⅛
1,000 ‡Houston Oil	49	48	48¼
200 ‡Int. Petrol.	13½	13⅜	13½
4,000 ‡Isl'd O.& T.	3¾	3½	3¾
4,200 Kenova Oil, (a pros.)	⅛	⅛	⅛
300 ‡Merritt Oil	22½	22	22¼

MINING STOCKS.

600 A.-B. Col. M	½	½	½
7,500 ‡Atlanta	11	10½	10½
1,100 B. L. C. Co.	1	½	½
1,300 ‡Bos. & Mon.	45	44	45
3,200 ‡Brad. C. M	½	½	½
1,000 Butte C. & Z. v. t. ctfs.	7⅝	7½	7⅝
5,000 Butte Del't.	1¾	1¾	1¾
2,500 ‡Caledonia	51	50	50
1,500 ‡Cal. & Jer.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
2,500 ‡Cashboy	¾	¾	¾
14,000 ‡C. S. M. & M., (a pr.)	97	97	97
200 ‡Coco Pt.	2¾	2¾	2¾
5,000 Con. Cop. M.	5½	5¼	5¼
500 ‡Con.-Home	25	25	25
110 ‡Copper Val.	1	1	1
500 ‡Creason C. G	5¼	5	5
10,000 ‡Emma Con.	½	½	½
500 First Nat. C	2¼	2	2
200 ‡Fort. Con	40	40	40
1,875 ‡Gibson Cop.	2¾	2½	2¾
1,500 ‡Globe D. C.	⅛	⅛	⅛
650 ‡Gold. Con.	¼	¼	¼
2,000 ‡Gold. Mer'r	4	4	4
1,400 ‡Int. Mines	10	8	10
1,800 ‡Iron Blosvn.	½	½	½
500 ‡J. Verde, (a pros.)	⅛	⅛	⅛
400 ‡J.-Pres. C.	2½	2½	2¼
1,500 Josvig-K., (a pros.)	⅛	⅛	⅛

BONDS.

$6,000 ‡Am.T.&T.J.-yr. 6s, w.i.	99½	99¼	99¼
2,000 ‡Beth.Stl.5s2-yr. notes	97¼	97¼	97¼
5,000 ‡Can.Govt.5s	95½	95⅝	95½
5,000 ‡Gen. Elec.6s 2-yr.nts.,'19	99½	99¼	99¼
$4,000 ‡Gen. El. 6s notes, '20	99¾	99¾	99¾
8,000 ‡Rus. Govt. new 5½s	41½	40½	40½
5,000 ‡Rus. Govt. 5½s	47	47	47
27,000 ‡W'house El. 1-yr.6s,w.i.	98¾	98¾	98¾

*Odd lot. †Sells cents per share. ‡Unlisted.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Bid and asked quotations of stocks not traded in compared with those of the previous day:

INDUSTRIALS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Saturday. Bid.	Saturday. Ask.
Air Reduct'n.	70	76	70	76
Am.-Brit.Mfg.	2	5	2	5
Am. Writ. Pa.	2	2½	2	2½
Blumenthal	90	102½	90	102½
Do pf.	90	95	90	95
Br.-Am.Tob., registered	15½	16½	15½	16½
Butter.-Jul.	38	45	42	45
B.-Am. T. c'n	17	18	17	18
Can. C. & Fy.	15	25	15	25
Do pf.	45	50	45	50
Can. Nat.	⅛	¾	⅛	¾
Carbon Steel	78	82	78	82
Carwen Steel	8	9	8	9
Chal. Motors	3	5	3	5
Do pf.	..	..	50	50
Char. Iron	7⅛	8	7⅛	8
Do pf.	5¾	6½	5¾	6¼
Cities Service	212	215	212	215
Cities S. pf.	73	75	73	75
Cramp Ship.	78	80	69	72
Curtis A. pf.	50	75	50	75
Do pf.	50	75	50	75
Emerson P.	4	4¼	4	4¼
Everett H'y.	20	21	20	21
Free. Texas	39	41	39	41
Grant M. Car	2	4	2	4
Hall Sig. pf.	17	18	17	18
Havana Tob.	½	1	½	1
Do pf.	3	5	3	5
Holly Sugar	37	42	37	42
Do pf.	98	100	95	100
Hupp. Motor	2	2½	2	2¼
Int. Lube Ch.	1	3	1	3
Int. Mangan.	8½	9	8½	9
Int. Motors	10	14	10	14
Do 2d pf.	15	17	15	17
Key. T. & R.	12	14	12	14
Do pf.	11½	13½	11½	13½
Kirby Lumber	11	12	11	12
Do pf.	60	63	60	63
Kresge	70	75	70	75
Do pf.	95	105	95	105
Lake T. Boat	8	8¼	8	8¼
L.T. B. 1st pf	3	6	3	6
L. Val. C. S.	73	78	73	78
Lima Loco.	44	50	44	50

INDUSTRIALS. *Continued.*

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Saturday. Bid.	Saturday. Ask.
Lukens Steel.	40	45	40	45
Do 1st pf.	101	105	101	105
Man. Transit.	½	⅝	½	⅝
Marlin Arms.	74	78	74	78
Maxim Mun.	¾	1	¾	1
Mitchell Mot.	35	40	35	40
Nash Motors.	75	85	75	85
Nat. Motors.	10	15	10	15
N. Y Ship.	40	40½	40	40½
N. A. P. & P.	2¼	3	2½	3
Peer. C. & M.	16	17	16	17
Poca. L. Coal	3¼	3½	3¼	3½
Poole E. & M.	50	60	50	60
Rep. Truck.	38	48	38	48
St. L.,R.M. & S.	30	35	31	35
Smith. (A. O.)	10	30	10	30
Do pf.	85	90	85	90
Stand. Motors	8½	9½	9	10
Todd Ship.	72	75	72	75
Un. Zinc Sm.	1½	1¾	1½	1¾
U. S. Gas & H.	1½	1¾	1½	1¾
Do pf.	1½	2½	1½	2¼
World Film.	⅛	⅜	⅛	⅜

OIL STOCKS.

Allen Oil	½	¾	½
Peer. Texas	9¾	10¼	9¾
Elk B. Pet.	6¼	6½	6¼
Friar Oil	⅛	⅛	⅛
Hous. Oil pf.	65	70	65
Humble Goose	4¾	5	4¾
Int. Petrol.	13	13½	13
Ky. Petrol	6	6¼	6
N. Y.-Okla. O.	⅛	⅛	⅛
Pierce Oil	9¾	10¼	9¾
Pa. Gasoline	⅛	⅛	⅛
Republic	8¼	8¾	8¼
Savoy Oil	7¼	8¼	7¼
Southern Oil	1½	2	1½
Sinclair Gulf	16	18	16
Ventura Con.	6¼	6¾	6¼
Victor Oil	60	62	60
Way. O. & G.	3¼	3¾	3½

MINING STOCK.

Booth	5	8	5

BOND.

Pierce Oil 6s.	70	74	70

CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE

Despite the frigid conditions on the floor of the Consolidated Exchange the market reflected strength throughout the session. The view was expressed that the coal conservation semi-holidays, ordered by the Government, would result in great ultimate benefit by straightening out the railroad and shipping congestion, so that industry could once more be resumed in normal fashion. The copper and smelting issues were especially firm.

Sales.	High.	Low.	Last.
50 Am. B. Sug.	77¾	75¼	77
80 Am. Can	36⅝	36	36½
10 Am. C. & F.	72¾	72¾	72¾
60 Am. H. & Lpf.	55¾	55¼	55¾
80 Am. Linseed	30¾	30¼	30½
20 Am. Loco.	55⅞	55⅜	55⅜
670 Am. S. & R.	64½	63	64
1,070 Anac. Cop.	61⅞	61¼	61½
100 Bald. Loco.	60¾	60¾	60¾
150 Balt. & Ohio	50⅝	50⅜	50⅝
900 Beth. St'l B.	76¼	74⅝	75⅝
10 B'klyn R. T.	42½	42½	42½
90 Cal. Petrol.	10⅝	10⅜	10⅝
40 Can. Pacific	140¾	140	140¾
280 Cent. Leather	66⅝	65¾	66¼
60 C., M. & St. P.	43	42¾	42¾
10 C., R. I. & P.	19¾	19¾	19¾
90 Chile Copper	17	16¾	17
80 Corn Prod.	31¼	31¼	31¼
170 Crucible St'l	53½	54¾	55½
50 Cuba Cane Su.	32¾	31¾	32½
390 Dist. Secur.	37¼	36¼	36⅝
20 Erie 1st pf.	24	24	24
70 Gen. Elec.	132	131½	132
50 Gen. Motors.	111	110¼	110½
10 Inspir. Cop.	45	45	45
70 Int. Mer. M.	23¾	23¼	23⅜
2,190 Do pf.	91	89	90
40 Kenne. Cop.	32¼	32¼	32¼
690 Mex. Petrol.	98¼	90¼	98¼
20 Midvale Steel	44¼	44¼	44¼
80 Mo. Pacific	21¾	21¼	21¾
80 N. Y. Cent.	69⅝	69¾	69¾

Sales.	High.	Low.	Last.
200 Marc. of A.	3½	3½	3½
400 N. Y. Tran.	17¾	17¼	17¼
500 Prod. Pfct.	¾	¾	¾
500 St. Jos. Ld.	15¼	15	15¼
2,500 Smith M. T.	1¼	1¼	1¼
1,200 S. Bt. v.t.cfs.	13¼	12¾	13
1,000 Tri. F.v.t.cfs.	½	½	½
900 U. S. Stmp.	5	4⅝	5
3,300 ‡Un. Motors	22¾	21	22
500 ‡Wr.-M. Air.	6¾	6¾	6¾

Bonds.

$1,000 C. B. & Q. 4s	92¾	92¾	92¾
1,000 Pond Cr'k 6s	90¼	90¼	90¼
3,000 U. Fruit 4½s	93¾	93¾	93¾
5,000 Swift 5s	94¼	94¼	94¼

CHICAGO.

Stocks.

Sales.	High.	Low.	Last.
1,150 Booth Fish.	21¼	20¾	21¼
60 Chi. P. Tool.	49¼	49	49
20 Chi. T. & T.	175½	175½	175½
80 Lindsay L.	24¼	24¼	24¼
50 Mont'y pf.	107	107	107
145 People's Gas.	45¾	44½	45¾

Bonds.

$3,000 Chi. R. S. B.	55	55	55
3,000 C. Ed. 1st 5s	94	94	94
2,000 S. S. E. 4½s	81	81	81

PHILADELPHIA.

Stocks.

Sales.	High.	Low.	Last.
30 Elec. Stor. B.	50	49¾	50
2,716 Lake S. Cp.	13⅞	13	13½
15 Lehigh Nav.	62	62	62
3 Penn. Salt M.	83	83	83
104 Phil. R. T.	30	29¼	29¾
42 Phil. Trac.	71	71	71

Bonds.

$18,500 L. Sup. inc. 5s	48¾	48	48¼
2,200 Liberty 3½s	98.00	98.00	98.00
1,500 Do 1st 4s	96.90	96.50	96.50
3,500 Do 2d 4s	96.20	96.00	96.00

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REAL ESTATE FIELD

The real estate market practically suspended operations in observance of the shutdown order. Some brokers and managers called at their offices to take care of mail and attend to other routine matters, undeterred by the lack of heat or elevator service.

Few stayed, however, for any length of time and holiday inactivity prevailed generally. There were no sales in the Vesey Street Exchange Salesrooms; in the Bronx, two foreclosed properties passed into the hands of plaintiffs.

The Registers' and County Clerks' offices were open for the transaction of business and the filing of papers, but the number of recorded instruments showed a marked decrease. There were no plans filed for new buildings in Manhattan or the Bronx, nor for alterations involving $5,000 or more.

Bronx Apartment in Deal.

In the Bronx, the five-story apartment house, with six stores, at the southwest corner of Barretto Street and Southern Boulevard was sold by the Henry Morgenthau Company to the Aron Realty Company. The property covers a plot 77 by 105 and was held at $110,000. Alexander Selkin and David Mintz negotiated the sale.

Sales on Columbia Heights.

The seven-story apartment house at 183 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, has been sold, through Z. D. Berry, to a Manhattan client. The building is of modern design and accommodates one family to the floor. The same broker sold recently the Hotel Touraine, on Clinton Street, and other properties in the immediate neighborhood.

Brooklyn.

Tutino & Cerny sold for Max Wollner to a client for investment the three-story store and apartment building at 4,422 Fifth Avenue.

Thomas Williams, builder, sold through Frank H. Malone the one-family, semi-detached dwelling just completed 967 Seventy-fifth Street Parkway, to a client for occupancy. Mr. Malone reports that the seller has sold four similar houses during the last two weeks.

William C. Albert sold to a client of R. A. Schlesing the six-family tenement at 245 Grove Street.

Queens Borough Sales.

The Merrill Drop Hammer Company sold to the Riverhead Eastern Oil Company of Pittsburgh, Penn., a plot 118 by 389 feet, on Newtown Creek, 175 feet north of Arbold Street, Newtown.

M. Lisson sold to J. C. Grace of Brooklyn the dwelling on the northwest corner of Boulevard and Neptune Avenue, Rockaway Beach.

The E. C. Williams Corporation sold to A. T. McCafferty of Brooklyn, a plot 100 by 261 feet on the southeast corner of Haverkamp Street and Forest Avenue, Ridgewood.

The Comiskey Home Company, Inc., sold to J. B. Reimer, a plot 100 by 187 feet, on the northwest corner of Ninety-sixth Street and Bell Place, Ozone Park.

New Jersey.

L. Covert sold for T. M. Ruane a Queen Anne cottage on Jefferson Avenue, near Madison Avenue, Cresskill, N. J., covering a plot 100 by 130, to Mrs. Lilliam Clabundi, who will occupy. The property is near Camp Merritt.

Lease Former Home of Silk Exchange Club.

The Bowantroc-Schley Company leased for the estate of James B. Haggin, represented by Lewis B. Preston, Inc., the entire twelfth floor at 487 Broadway, southwest corner of Broome Street, extending through to Mercer Street. These premises were for many years the home of the Silk Exchange Club, but have been vacant for about five years, since the exodus of the silk trade to the Fourth Avenue section. This space of 5,000 square feet will be occupied as executive offices and drafting rooms by the H. G. Vogel Company, installers of the Estey Automatic Sprinkler System, who for the last ten years have been at 12-14 Walker Street.

Commercial Leases.

The United Cigar Stores Company rented to Anthony Bussi a store on Broadway, adjoining the northeast corner of Twenty-eighth Street and Broadway. Also store on Twenty-eighth Street to the Overland Silk Mills and the store immediately adjoining to Samuel De Fillipi; also rented to Louis Yalem and Abraham Getzoff the store and basement in 109 West Twenty-third Street, immediately west of Sixth Avenue. The lessees will make extensive alterations and conduct a restaurant.

The Cary Spring Works, located at 242 West Twenty-ninth Street for the last sixty years, are enlarging their quarters, and through the Cross & Brown Company have leased the store and basement, 50 by 125, adjoining at 244-46 West Twenty-ninth Street, for a term of years.

Lewis B. Preston, Inc., leased the store and basement at 317 Broadway to A. A. Smith & Son, an underwear and knit goods commission concern, for a term of years.

M. & L. Heas, Inc., and A. J. Harrington leased to the American Chicle Company for the American Bar Lock Company the entire building at Borden Avenue and Heywood Street, Long Island City, for a term of years, with an option of purchase. The building is 75 by 180, one story in height, and will be used by the American Chicle Company as an experimental laboratory and for the refining of gum.

Lakin & Dinkelspiel leased for Nellie Lyon the entire building at 158 West Forty-sixth Street, for a term of years, to the Hotel Workers' Club, which will occup after extensive alterations.

Brooklyn Brokers Meet Today.

The Board of Directors of the Brooklyn Board of Real Estate Brokers will hold an important meeting in the board rooms, 189 Montague Street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Matters relating to the change in rates for commissions on sales, rentals, &c., will be discussed.

Recent Buyers.

Harry Smith and John F. Ulrich are reported to be the real buyers of the six-story warehouse at 148 to 150 West Ninetieth Street, sold recently by the Edmund Dealy estate. They control the Standard Storage Warehouse Company.

Realty Notes.

A meeting of the Harlem Property Owners' Association has been called for Thursday evening, Jan. 24, at 147 East 125th Street.

Brooks & Momand placed for the Clairmont Realty Company, subsidiary of the B. F. Keith Theatre Company a first mortgage loan of $165,000, covering their holdings at 202-208 West Ninety-sixth Street and 203-209 West Ninety-fifth Street, consisting of eight apartment houses, with a frontage of about 125 feet in each street.

James Frank, First Vice President of the Real Estate Association of the State of New York, who is Secretary and counsel to a number of real estate companies, has become Secretary and Treasurer of the M. Morgenthau Jr., Company, succeeding Remsen Darling, retired.

RESULTS AT AUCTION.

By Arthur C. Sheridan.

219th St, 710 East, s s, 81 ft e of White Plains Road, 100x114; W. C. Arnold against Johanna Brisnihan et al.; Action 1; W. C. Arnold, attorney; due, $7,112.09; taxes, &c., $3,000.10; to the plaintiff for $5,000.

219th St, 720 East, 181 ft e of White Plains Road, 50x114; same against same; Action 2; due, $3,886.84; taxes, &c., 138.40 to the plaintiff for $3,000.

By Samuel Marx.

Parcel of salt meadow land and hummock on Givans Creek, Baychester; Mary Manda against G. D. Hawes et al.; Gustav Gunkel, attorney; due, $6,618.48; taxes, &c., $4,694.39; withdrawn.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

MONDAY, JAN. 21.

With name and address of purchaser and attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

LOTS 221 to 224 inclusive, Map 278 in Bronx, partition action Moller v. Godwin; Joseph M. Callahan, referee, to James J. Mayer Realty Co., 119 West 10th St, partition sale, Nov. 27, 1917, rerecorded in Bronx Jan. 10, 1918; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway.....$4,000

LOTS 209 and 210, Map 278 in Bronx, partition sale, Nov. 27, 1917, Jan. 3; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway $1,250

MOTT ST, 228, e s, 201 ft s of Prince St, 26.3x93.1; Rose Beckar to Joseph A. Barrett, 67 West 73d St, mtg $30,000, Jan. 19; address, 42 Broadway.....$1

2D AV, e s, 20.5 ft s of 43d St, 20x81; Hyman and Esther Greenstone to Leah Greenstone, 262 West 83d St, mtg $9,000, Jan. 16; attorney, Robert Moers, 2 Rector St.....$1

2D AV, 558, e s, 37 ft s of 31st St, 18.6x82; Hyman and Esther Greenstone to Leah Greenstone, 262 West 83d St, mtg $5,000, Jan. 16; attorney, Robert Moers, 2 Rector St.....$1

2D AV, 589, w s, 18.5 ft s of 30th St, 17.6x65; Julia Singer to Bertha Gluck, 589 2d Av, Jan. 18.....$1

7TH AV, 2,295, e s, 41.6 ft s of 135th St, 16.7x75, foreclosure Jan. 3; Richard F. Weeks, referee, to George F. Martens, at New Germantown, N. J., and Bertha C. M. Johnson, Roselle Park, N. J., trustees, Jan. 15; attorney, Thomas J. Farrell, 20 Vesey St.....$12,000

29TH ST, n s, 235 ft e of 3d Av, 25x98.9; Julia Singer to Herman Rosenfeld, 1,962 3d Av, all liens, Jan. 18.....$1

60TH ST, 213 West, n s, 550 ft e of West End Av, 25x100.5; Hyman and Esther Greenstone to Leah Greenstone, 262 West 83d St, mtg $16,400, all liens, Jan. 16; attorney, Robert Moers, 2 Rector St.....$1

77TH ST, 405 East, n s, 119 ft e of 1st Av, 23x102.2; Julia Singer to Bertha Gluck, 58 2d Av, Jan. 18.....$1

115TH ST, 9 East, n s, 175 ft e of 5th Av, 25x100.11, foreclosure Dec. 11, 1917; William Bondy, referee, to Mercy M. Plum, 110 East 55th St; attorneys, Silberberg & Davis, 256 Broadway $15,000

Bronx.

EDWARDS AV, w s, 265.4 ft s of Balcom St, 106.1x79.10x100x45.3; Carrie Toelle to Hugo Wabst, 3,318 White Plains Av, Jan. 19; attorney, Hugo Wabst, 3,318 White Plains Av.....$1

GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, e s, 75 ft n of 167th St, 308.6x104.10; Dulcet Holding Corporation to Delta Holding Corp., 217 Broadway, mtg $287,000, Jan. 15; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway $100

MARION AV, w s, Lot 90, map part of farm of B. Berrian; also land in New York County, (deed of trust;) Mary K. Shrady et al. to Edwin Kempton, 383 Clinton Av, Brooklyn, trustee, Jan. 16; attorney, E Kempton, jr., 385 Clinton Av, Brooklyn.$1

OGDEN AV, w w corner of Union St, 50x50; Ellen McDonald to Elizabeth Connell, 12 West 58th St, Dec. 11, 1917; attorney, Richard Kelly, 233 Broadway $100

PELHAM ROAD, e s, 73.11 ft n of Middletown Road, 50x90; Joseph Newman to Robert E. Walker, 2,537 Poplar St, Sept. 17, 1913; attorney, Mapes & R., 370 East 149th $1

187TH ST, 753 East, n s, 32.9x98x25x99.6, Edmund D. Hennessy, referee, to Maria Spica, 2,389 Lorillard Place, correction deed, mtg $10,000, Jan. 18; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway...$2,000

SAME PROPERTY; Maria Spica to Ernest Bifulci et al., 2,753 Briggs Av, mtg $1,900, Jan. 18; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$100

RECORDED MORTGAGES.

With name and address of lender and lender's attorney. Interest is at 5 per cent. unless otherwise specified.

Manhattan.

LOTS 221 to 224, partition map of 231 lots, Moller vs. Godwin, rerecorded in Bronx Jan. 10, 1918, Jan. 3; James J. Mayer Realty Co. to Joseph M. Callahan, 1,037 Ogden Av, Bronx, as referee, 3 years; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway $2,000

LOTS 209-210, same map in Bronx, rerecorded in Bronx Jan. 10, 1918, Jan. 3; Harry Stone to Joseph M. Callahan, 1,037 Ogden Av, as referee in partition action, Moller vs. Godwin, 3 years, 4½ p. c.; attorney, same.....$625

53D ST, 221-223 West, n s, 147.9 ft w of Broadway, 50x200 10 to s s of 54th St (238-40 West,) Jan. 19; Emil Seelig to A. Leipzig, 50 West 77th St, 2 years, 6 p. c., prior mtg $140,000; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway...$6,000

101ST ST, 118 West, s s, 275 ft w of Columbus Av, 25x100.11, Jan. 19; William P. Canavan to New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway, 3 years, 6½ p. c..$4,000

130TH ST, n s, 273.4 ft w of Amsterdam Av, runs n e 64.10 to former centre line of Byrd St x n w 5x n e 121x n w 22.5x s w 120.11x s e 4.11x s w 78.3 to st x e 28.2 to beginning, Jan. 19; Grace Covert to Bankers Trust Co., 501 5th Av, trustee of will of George H. Moller, 3 years, interest as per bond; attorneys, White & Case, 14 Wall St.....$5,000

Bronx.

EDWARDS AV, w s, 265.4 ft s of Balcam Av, 106.1x79.10x100x44.3; Hugo Wabst to Carrie Toelle, 2,871 Grand Concourse, Jan. 19, due January, 1921, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Timme & K., 149 Broadway $3,000

GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, e s, 75 ft n of 167th St, 308.6x104.10; Delta Holding Corporation to Dulcet Holding Corporation, 73 Nassau St, Jan. 15, due May 1, 1918, 6 p. c.; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway..$16,000

LOT 153, same map; same to same, Jan. 3, 3 years; attorney, same.....$2,000

LOT 188, map of Laconia Park; Gaetano Alaimo to Paolo Mele, 1,418 Oakley St, Jan. 5, 6 p. c.; attorney, A. Canobeli, 123 Bowery $313

LOTS 99 and 100, map of part of Trask estate; Tommaso Giordano to Giovanni Pinsitore, 19 Macdougal St, Jan. 19, 3 years; attorney, C. P. Mallack, 900 East 180th St, ...$2,500

LOTS 211 to 214, map of Godwin estate; Alex. McLane to Jos. M. Callahan, referee, 1,037 Ogden Av, Jan. 3, 3 years; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co.....$5,890

LOTS 34A and 35A, same map; same to same, Jan. 3, 3 years; attorney, same.....$2,210

LOTS 83 and 84, same map; same to same, Jan. 3, 3 years; attorney, same.....$2,600

MORRIS AV, e s, 100 ft n of 177th St, 40.7x 10x38.2x110; Erminie M. Carruthers to Paul V. Jennings, 3 West 84th St, prior mtg $17,500, Jan. 19, 2 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, P. V. Jennings, 3 West 84th St, ...$7,000

SEDGWICK AV, w s, 175 ft s of 171st St, 185x95; Edward R. Poerschke to German Exchange Bank, 330 Bowery, Jan. 19; demand, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Steiner & P., 200 Broadway $15,000

ASSIGNMENTS OF MORTGAGES.

Manhattan.

7TH ST, 54 East, mtg $25,000; Howard Willets et al., trustees, to Richard Jos. 231 Lenox Road, Brooklyn; attorney, Jacob Rutz, 230 Grand St.....$25,000

87TH ST, s s, 97.6 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 108x100.8, mtg $30,000; Benjamin Mordecai, trustee, to Rotary Realty Co., 150 Lafayette St; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway $20,000

118TH ST, 40 East, mtg $4,000; Title Guarantee and Trust Co. to Zachariah Jellison, 245 Carlton Av, Brooklyn; attorney, George D. Russell, Tribune Building.....$3,000

123D ST, n s, 190 ft e of Park Av, 25x 100.11; Warwick Savings Bank of Warwick, N. Y., to Lawyers Mortgage Co., 59 Liberty St.....$18,000

135TH ST, 120 West, 1-12 part and all title in mtg $24,000; Ronna Robinson to Isaac Silverberg, 226 Fairmont Av, Newark, N. J., et al., exrs. &c.; attorneys, Myers & Sherwin, 299 Broadway.....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Aaron Silverberg to same, 1-12 part, all title; attorneys, same.$1

SAME PROPERTY, two assignments; Charles and Isaac Silverberg to same, two assignments, each, 1-12 part; attorneys, same $1

THOMPSON ST, 228, Lawyers Title and Trust Co. to Louise Hennessey, 126 East 94th St; address, 160 Broadway.....$8,000

SAME PROPERTY; Domenico and Frank Tipaldi to Louis D'Angelo, 351 West 114th St, and another; attorney, William J. Carey, 320 Broadway.....$7,000

Bronx.

134TH ST, 535 East; Title Guarantee and Trust Co. to Lillian B. Ryder, Hastings-on-Hudson, N. Y.; attorneys, Olcott, B. & McManus, 170 Broadway.....$1

RECORDED LEASE.

Bronx.

With name and address of lessee.

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD; 969, store, &c.; J. F. M. Co. to Long Hat Stores, a corp., 621 Broadway, 3 years from May 1, 1918, Oct. 25, 1917; attorney, Long Hat Stores, a corp., 621 Broadway.....$2,400 to $2,600

LIS PENDENS.

Bronx.

BRYANT AV, 1,489; Della Kearney Huss against George W. Muller et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorneys, Kranz & Melgnan.

LOTS 29 and 30, part of, map of village of Eltonia; Jane E. Reynolds against James Reynolds, Jr., et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, L. Howlett.

MECHANICS' LIENS.

Manhattan.

5TH AV, 1,480; Pierce, Butler & Pierce Mfg. Corp. against S. V. C. Hamilton, owner; renewal $18,000

175TH ST, 120 West, 1-12 part and all title of the Commonwealth Centre, owner; Clark & Appelman, contractor.....$120

Bronx.

SEDGWICK AV, s w corner of 177th St, 77.4x141; Bronx Artificial Stone Works, Inc., against Edwin F. Branning, owner and contractor $15,500

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Manhattan.

BROADWAY, 1,587; Mitchell Vance Co., Inc., against Russell Hotel and Restaurant Co. et al., Dec. 31, 1917.....$200

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136TH ST, 517 East; H. Greenberg & Sons against Luck Building Corp, et al., Sept. 7, 1916 .....$85

GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, e s, 75 ft n of 167th St, 308x104; Overhead Kitchen Clothes Dryer Co. against Dulcet Holding Corp, et al., Aug. 21, 1917.....$464

SAME PROPERTY; J. Resnik & Son against same, Aug. 18, 1917.....$462

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SAME PROPERTY; Kandel Corrreting Co., Inc., against same, June 26, 1917....$1,400

SAME PROPERTY; Modern Tile Co. against same, June 25, 1917.....$1,850

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SAME PROPERTY; Brooklyn Fireproof Sash and Door Co., Inc., against same, June 23, 1917 .....$675

SAME PROPERTY; Brand & Silverstein Iron Works against same, June 22, 1917...$5,093

SAME PROPERTY; Landsman & Soffin against same, June 22, 1917.....$2,400

SAME PROPERTY; Church E. Gates & Co. against same, June 22, 1917.....$3,954

SAME PROPERTY; Columbia Metal Box Co., Inc., against same, June 22, 1917.....$524

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Police and Fire News.

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Fire Department.

The following named members of the de- partment, having received instruction at aute school, are designated as chauffeurs:

F. McManus, 2; J. E. Doran, 2; E. L. Line- han, 7; T. F. Doyle, 2; W. J. Addio, 2; J. E. Lynch, 5; D. C. Mahon, 5; P. F. Watts, 5; James O'Connell, No. 2, 3; J. P. Leddy, 4; J. E. Long, 5; G. Fricke, 5; Matthew Mc- Elroy, 7; J. A. Cerny, 7; E. V. Jay- F. Woglom, 7; Edward Lorz, 8; J. Sharp, 8; Frank cone, 7; George Lorz, 8; J. A. Sharp, 8; Mark S. L. Moran, 8; A. A. Sharp, 8; M. Birn- baum, 9; M. E. Powers, 11; Joseph Goertz, Jr., 12; W. J. Broderick, 12; Joseph Valente, 13; T. J. McLaughlin, 13; D. J. Morrissy, 14; Henry Miller, No. 8, 13; D. C. Wandelt, 16; T. D. Hunderman, 16; H. W. Smith, 16; T. F. McVesty, 16; Powell, 16.

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The Civil Service.

City.

Promotion lists have been ordered for sec- ond to third grade examining inspector, Bureau of Law and Adjustment, Finance De- partment; assistant engineer, Grade D, and grade telephone operator, Engineering Section Aqueduct Department; first to sec- ond grade Headquarters Department, Grade C, Division, Board of Water Supply; Executive to Grade D, draughtsman, Street Cleaning Department.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The War De- partment published the following army orders today:

Medical Reserve Corps.

Thomsen, Capt. A. N., to Ft. Slocum, re- establishment of exhibit materials to combat diseases.

Leslie, 1st Lt. W., to Camp Taylor.

Ochsner, Maj. A. J., to home.

Dugan, 1st Lt. H. W., previous orders amended to read Dugay.

Hall, 1st Lt. G. M., previous orders revoked.

Following to Camp Greenleaf for inst.:

Cruse, Maj. S. E.

CAPTAINS.

Barger, F. W.	Doolan, J. H.
Hood, P. G.	Crum, C. C.
Leech, W. F.	Forebes, E. B.

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Alexander, W. S.	Marsh, C. A.
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Biller, A. C.	Niles, J. H.
Bennett, O. C.	Otken, C. H.
Bartlett, G.	Panton, C. H.
Bryars, J. F.	Peterson, A. E.
Cog, E. P.	Patton, G. C.
Choquette, H.	Price, G. C.
Churchill, K.	Potter, B. S.
Casey, O.	Phillips, F. A.
Cummings, W. W.	Ryan, C. D.
Durgin, E. C.	Royster, W. L.
Doty, A. C.	Royer, E. E.
Diggs, G. W.	Robinson, J. S.
Freeman, E. E.	Repass, R. E.
Fitzgerald, K. C.	Rinehart, A. B.
Freed, J. E.	Raiburn, K. L.
Gudge, H. B.	Steele, N. E.
Griest, O. E.	Somers, H. E.
Grimes, J. H.	Small, E. F.
Garber, P. A.	Simon, O. B.
Gick, H. H.	Seymour, C. F.
Hatch, L. B.	Sammond, W. P.
Harkness, W. R.	Strode, B. E.
Hall, W. M.	Sanders, T. M.
Houle, A. E.	Steen, J. H.
Haines, B. F.	Siskind, B. G.
Hite, W. B.	Sturdevant, B. B.
Herndon, L. S.	Thompson, J. C.
Jones, E. T.	Tickle, T. G.
Knight, A. C.	Vorblau, W. H.
King, T.	Wallace, G. L.
Kessel, R.	Williams, H. G.
Kilgore, H. L.	Williams, J.
Lipton, H.	Whiteside, W. E.
Lettiere, J. J.	Whiteside, W. T.
Myers, W. C.	Ward, C. R.
McDaniel, R. F.	Yates, R. B.

Following to Ft. Riley for inst.:

CAPTAINS.

Andrews, C. W.	Rydin, C. G.
Hinkle, S. B.	Smith, C. A.
Jefferson, H. A.	Isenberg, R. S.
Kraft, F. E.	Tuffley, F. S.
Lynn, W. J.	Unsell, J. B.
Minahan, P. R.	Vessels, F. M.
Potts, J. B.	

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Bachinski, L. J.	McClure, W. B.
Bailey, H. C.	McCormack, G. C.
Baird, J. C.	McGrath, E. F.
Berger, A. J.	Mabry, P. S.
Birkelo, C. G.	MacDonald, A. C.
Bolton, E. L.	Marrs, R. C. H. M.
Bouse, W. G.	Mason, C.
Brethour, G. E.	Moertz, W. F.
Brooks, R. C.	Murphy, W. T.
Buckley, W. E.	Nelson, O. A.
Buell, H. A.	O'Brien, H. N.
Calvert, L. C.	Ottedal, A.
Clifford, P. M.	Olson, A. L.
Cook, S.	Orr, W. E.
Cutting, L. D.	Ott, L. R. S.
Davis, P. C.	Partridge, O. F.
De Puy, T. L.	Pence, J. R.
Dingus, T.	Pfeiffer, E. C.
Dishmaker, D. B.	Phillips, F. M.
Donohue, W. E.	Phillips, W. M.
Doubler, F. T. H.	Prescott, L. W.
Drace, C. W.	Rapaport, B.
Engesather, J. A. D.	Reay, G. S.
Fedeman, E. H.	Reichelderfer, V. D.
Fleming, W. S.	Reigler, N. W.
Flury, J. A.	Richmond, C. D.
Fortner, W. H.	Roth, J. H.
Gallatin, J.	Ruckel, F. T.
Geartn, J. J.	Sammle, R. O.
Gettinger, A. J.	Schaefer, C. O.
Gore, L. M.	Sheafe, C. W.
Griot, A. J.	Shearer, P. E.
Griswold, G. W.	Sheahan, J. W.
Hanna, J. F.	Sheppard, C. E.
Hanson, J. H.	Shipy, V. J.
Harker, H. J.	Simpson, G.
Harvey, J. R.	Snowbell, H. T.
Heywell, W. R.	Slaughter, J. W.
Heim, R. R.	Smith, C. C.
Helmark, A. J.	Smith, H. L.
Henry, H. K.	Smith, J. W.
Holbrook, W. F.	Smith, T. A.
Holland, D. A.	Stenhens, C. B.
Horner, T. E.	Strauss, A. W.
Huffman, J. W.	Tompkins, C. R.
Hughes, R. M.	Tucker, C.
Hunter, R. M.	Weinert, W. F.
January, C. C.	Wells, R. E.
Jarrell, F.	West, W. E.
Knecht, L. B.	Weston, C.
Kvilo, J. C.	Williams, J. W.
Latham, L. L.	Winslow, G. H.
Laughlin, T. F.	Winter, W. A.
Lindsey, E. L.	Wolfe, R. C.
Long, L. H.	
Lowe, R. C.	

Pawelek, 1st Lt. I. L., to Kelly Field with Av. Sec.

Evans, 1st Lt. F. M., discharged.

Brown, 1st Lt. F. W., to Camp Doniphan, Oklahoma.

Cleveland, 1st Lt. ——, to Ft. Riley with Evac. Hosp. No. 10.

Moore, Maj. W. C., to Army Gen. Hosp. No. 9 at Lakewood, N. J.

Stewart, Capt. A. C., to Camp Lewis.

Jordan, Capt. W. M., to Ft. Riley with Evac. Hosp. No. 11.

Hersh, 1st Lt. H. E., to Ft. Riley with Evac. Hosp. No. 12.

Ennis, 1st Lt. W. M., to Mass. Gen. Hosp. for inst., then to Army Gen. Hosp. No. 2 at Ft. McHenry.

Davison, 1st Lt. R. E., to Camp Dix.

Barton, Capt. C., to Camp Taylor as member of physical examining unit of Av. Sec.

Faust, Capt. W. F., to Base Hosp. No. 25 at Albany.

Tyler, 1st Lt. D. G., to Camp Sheridan.

Peters, 1st Lt. L., to Camp Custer.

Fulwider, 1st Lt. E. M., hon. discharged.

Harbeck, Capt. C. J., to School of Plastic and Oral Surgery, St. Louis, for inst.

Franklin, 1st Lt. D., to Camp Dodge.

Hanson, 1st Lt. A. M., to Camp Greenleaf with Evac. Hosp. No. 8.

Weed, 1st Lt. L. H., designated as director of the laboratory at Johns Hopkins Med. School, Baltimore.

Bradford, 1st Lt. L. B., to Army Gen. Hosp. No. 1, at New York.

Brooks, 1st Lt. C. S., and Buckingham, 1st Lt. J. R., to San Diego with Av. Sec.

Black, 1st Lt. D. R., to Army Med. School.

Turner, Capt. W. E., to School of Neurolo- gical Surgery, Phila., for inst.

Sullivan, 1st Lt. R. C., to Camp Taylor.

Duryea, 1st Lt. H. de W., to Camp Dodge.

Evans, 1st Lt. F. M., to home.

Busler, 1st Lt. H. S., to Baltimore with Mech. Repair Shop Unit No. 308.

Cook, 1st Lt. B. J., hon. discharged.

Platt, 1st Lt. M. W., to Walter Reed Hosp.

Line, 1st Lt. M. E., promoted to be a Capt.

Following promoted to be Majors:

CAPTAINS.

Begg, A. S.	Sawyer, W. A.
Wiggin, D. C.	Forster, A. M.
Fuller, W.	MacDonald, J. T.
Little, J. V.	Taylor, W. J.
Mount, F. R.	

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Brown, A. J.	Green, J. S.

McClintick, 1st Lt. J. K., hon. discharged.

Hall, 1st Lt. J. S.; White, 1st Lt. W. J., and Locker, 1st Lt. H. L., to Kelly Field with Wight, Capt. W. T., previous orders amend- ed to read W. G.

Richstein, 1st Lt. J. J., to Camp Fremont.

Hopkins, 1st Lt. W. B., to Richmond with Sec. of Sig. C.

Bell, 1st Lt. R. W., and Covell, 1st Lt. W. W., to Kelly Field with Av. Sec.

Smith, 1st Lt. T. D., hon. discharged.

Quartermaster Corps.

Talbot, Maj. R., Jr., to Charleston, S. C., with Baker Div.

Howell, 1st Lt. E. P., promoted to be Capt.

Cowger, 1st Lt. A. C., to Mech. Repair Shop Unit No. 804.

Carling, 2d Lt. C. F., promoted to be 1st Lt.

Sheldon, 1st Lt. C. F., to Metuchen, N. J., with Raritan Ord. Depot.

Blanton, Capt. R., to Wash. with can- tonment Construction dept.

Green, Maj. I., to Camp Green as asst. to camp Q.m.

Meskill, 1st Lt. R. J., previous orders amend- ed; relieved from duty at Ft. Bliss.

Stark, Capt. C. W., to Camp Taylor as asst. to Qm.

McClellant with 29th Div., as asst. to Qm.

Schwartz, A. C., appointed Captain and as- signed to Newport News.

Kalb, Capt. J. W., will report to Qm. Gen. for inst., then to Cambridge, Mass., as asst. to Depot Qm.

Mann, 1st Lt. L. S., to Camp Stuart as asst. to camp Qm.

Dwight, Capt. ——, to Camp Stuart as asst. to camp Qm.

Green, 2d Lt. R. H. A., will report to Qm. Gen.

Guerry, 2d Lt. A., appointed to same grade in Inft. N. A.

Foster, 2d Lt. F. A., appointed to same grade in F. A. of N. A.

Maxwell, 2d Lt. A., promoted to Capt.

McCleod, 2d Lt. W. S., and Wynga, C., appointed 2d Lts.

Emerson, 2d Lt. R. W., and Parkhurst, 2d Lt. G. G., promoted to be 1st Lts.

Heinaman, 2d Lt. F. F., N. A., appointed to same grade in F. A.

Beck, 2d Lt. G. C.; Zonne, 2d Lt. C. S., and O'Neil, 2d Lt. M. G., promoted to be 1st Lts.

Wright, Qm. Sergt. J. E., N.G., promoted to be 1st Lt. and assigned to Camp Hancock.

Raccomin, 2d Lt. I. C., to Baltimore, with depot Qm.

Fairchild, 2d Lt. A. H., to Ft. Sam Houston, with Mech. Repair Shop No. 304.

Van Benschoten, 2d Lt. E. S., to New York on official business, then to proper sta- tion.

Valdes, Field Clerk J., to Ft. Sam Houston.

Infantry.

Adams, Maj. H. S., assigned to 26th.

Carter, Major R. D., assigned to 28th.

Green, Maj. N. M., assigned to 28th.

Dorwerd, 1st Lt. H., assigned to 28th.

Sweets, 1st Lt. W., assigned to 28th.

Spain, 1st Lt. W., and McMullen, 1st Lt. E. B., appointed to same grade in Sig.C. of the Army.

Muse, 1st Lt. D. P., N.G., appointed to same grade in Av. Sec. of Sig.R.C.

Watson, 2d Lt. F. G., 46th Inf., appointed to be 1st Lt. in Av. Sec. Sig.C. and assigned to Portland, Ore.

Lutter, Capt. F. L., Ill.N.G., hon. dis- charged.

Holley, 1st Lt. A. Z., Md.N.G., hon. dis- charged.

Wilderman, 2d Lt. J. H., Md.N.G., hon. dis- charged.

Carneal, 1st Lt. W. B., Va.N.G., hon. dis- charged.

Hough, 1st Lt. R. B., Jr., 48th Inf., to School of Mil. Aeronautics, Univ. of Tex- as, for inst.

Johnson, Capt. W. A., N.J.N.G., hon. dis- charged.

Speese, 1st Lt. V. H., Va.N.G., hon. dis- charged.

Livingston, 2d Lt. R. E., N.J.N.G., hon. dis- charged.

Ellenberger, 2d Lt. J. T., Inft., to School of Mil. Aeronautics, Univ. of Texas, for inst.

Schuman, 2d Lt. F. G., appointed to same grade in Qm.C.

Holt, 1st Lt. J. A., Neb. N.G., hon. dis- charged.

Faulkner, Capt. W. D., previous orders amended; to 51st Inft.

Leasure, Maj. S. C., temp. detailed as Lt.Col. Sig.C.

Petty, Maj. J. M., detailed to fill vacancy in Insp. Gen's. Dept.

English, Capt. G. H., Jr., promoted to be a Maj.

Faulkner, Capt. W. D., previous orders re- voked.

Kelly, 1st Lt. C. J., N.A., to Camp Travis.

Blumhard, Capt. C. A., Jr., Pa. N.G., hon. discharged.

Gulick, Capt. C. W., N. J. N.G., hon dis- charged.

Burroughs, 2d Lt. R. W., N. Y. N.G., hon discharged.

Ervin, 1st Lt. R. G., to Av. Exam. Board Los Angeles for physical examination as to fitness for av. training, then to proper sta.

White, 2d Lt. R. F., N.G., appointed to Judge Adv. N.A.; to Waco, Texas, as Judge Adv. of troops not belonging to 32d Div.

Taussig, K., appointed 1st Lt., and will re- port by letter to Chief of War College Div.

Randolph, 2d Lt. H. A., Ohio N.G., hon. discharged.

Reardan, Capt. J. D., detailed temporarily as Maj. in Sig.Cor.; assigned to Portland, Ore.

Stedman, 1st Lt. A. W., appointment ter- minated.

Saper, 2d Lt. N., Inft., assigned to 19th.

Following to Camp Upton:

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Ladd, H. H.	Lane, H. W.
McCready, J. H.	Russell, G. H.
La Boon, W. S.	Severy, L. W.
Shipman, ———	Steward, L. L.

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Bittenbring, A.	Karr, H. A.
Lanier, N. V.	Lund, S. J.
Magruder, D.	McGaughey, M.
McGinley, T. S.	Mearchsidt, H.
Robinson, T. P.	Robinson, W. H.
Rosenblum, M. M.	Roos, F. M.
Starnes, E.	Barfoot, E. C.
Starrett, H. A.	Riely, J. W.
Garrett, W. H.	

Engineer Reserve Corps.

Newton, 1st Lt. W., Jr., previous orders revoked.

Humphreys, Maj. F. E., appointed to same grade in Av. Sec. of Sig.C.

Putnam, Maj. R. W., to Vancouver Barracks, Wash.

Callan, Lt. Col. L. H., N.A., appointed to N.G. and assigned to Camp MacArthur.

Shaffer, 1st Lt. C. B., promoted to be Capt. in Div.

Merrell, 2d Lt. B. E., and Newton, 2d Lt. H. E., promoted to be 1st Lts. in 82d Div.

Ames, Maj. C. F., A.R.C., previous orders amended to read Maj. C. L. Ames.

Cameron, Capt. R. F., previous orders amended to read Capt. R. F. Cameron.

Jamison, 2d Lt. R. S., and Kohr, 2d Lt. R. F., to Camp Dix.

Bash, 2d Lt. H. J., and Fleming, 2d Lt. J. V., to Ft. Myer with 30th Engs.

Following to office Director U. S. Geological Survey:

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Steele, R. B.	Gardner, C. C.
Moorhead, B.	

Crowley, 2d Lt. J. B., to Camp Am. Univ.

Cronemeyer, 1st Lt. H. C., to Camp Meade with 28th Engs.

David, 2d Lt. J., will report to Chief of Eng.

Taber, 2d Lt. W. E., previous orders revoked.

Bennison, 1st Lt. E. W., and Holton, 2d Lt. C. A., previous orders revoked.

Salisbury, 1st Lt. F. D.; Rothermund, 1st Lt. K., and Grigsby, 1st Lt. W. B., to El Paso with 9th Eng.

Waugaman, 1st Lt. A. R., to 37th Eng., will report by wire to Regimental Command- er, then to Cleveland, Buffalo, Roches- ter, Albany, and Boston in connection re- cruiting, then to Ft. Myer.

Brauning, 1st Lt. N. H., assigned 37th Eng., will report to Regimental Commander, then to San Francisco, Portland, and Se- attle, in connection with recruiting, then to Ft. Myer.

Titus, 1st Lt. ——, to Camp Lee.

Fitzgerald, Maj. C. C.; Bowers, 1st Lt. G. M.; Cahall, 2d Lt. W. C., Jr.; Velk, 2d Lt. A. C.; Littler, 2d Lt. L. D., and Savage, 2d Lt. R. R., to Camp Grant with 32d Eng.

Jones, Capt. R., and Sternberg, 2d Lt. H. J., to Camp Grant with 32d Eng.

Khachadoorian, 1st Lt. H., to Chicago, and will report by letter to Chief of Eng.

Voge, Capt. A. L., to Ft. Myer, with 30th Eng.

Morrow, Capt. R. B., assigned to 37th Eng., report by wireless to Regimental Com- mander, then to New Orleans, Memphis, and St. Louis in connection recruiting, then to Ft. Myer.

Ruggles, Capt. H. E., assigned to 37th Eng., report by wire to Regimental Command- er, then to Richmond, Charleston, (W. Va.,) Columbus, Ohio, and Pittsburgh, in connection recruiting, then to Ft. Myer.

Forrer, Capt. J. D., assigned to 37th Eng., report by wire to Regimental Commander.

Jones, 1st Lt. C. S., assigned to 37th Eng., to Ft. Myer.

Following relieved of present orders:

MAJORS.

Christian, W. A.	Maury, D. H.
Fuller, F. M.	McGuire, J. C.
Hedges, S. H.	

CAPTAINS.

Rittenour, F. H.	Cantrell, S. T.
Murphy, J. R.	Strickler, F. W.
Allen, ———	Wood, H. P.
Garber, J. M.	Swan, J. J.
Thoenan, J. R.	Hughes, H. H.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS.

Shinkle, W. B.	Schworm, F. G.
Hydle, M. L.	Wood, R. R.
Hutchins, P. B.	Mattingly, G. E.
Eastwood, H. G.	Sturtevant, M. C.
Arkenburgh, W. H.	

SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Nordeen, C. F.	Taylor, D. B.
Evans, A. B.	Rogers, R. L.
Ranks, J. C.	McAleer, D. C.
Wright, R. H.	Doyle, V. H.
Byrnes, T. E.	Dow, H. S.
Torrance, J. G.	Houston, P. H.
Stevens, G. R.	Smith, W. W.
Haven, K. C.	

Medical Corps.

Johnson, Maj. H. H., previous orders amend- ed to read Brig. Gen. W. H. Arthur.

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BARON A PRISONER ON ELLIS ISLAND

Von Hasperg, Son-in-Law of Commodore McVickar, Held for Investigation.

PAVENSTEDT ARRESTED, TOO

Adviser of von Bernstorff Taken in Adirondacks—Others Probably Soon in Secret Service Net.

Baron Gustave von Hasperg, a son-in-law of the late Commodore McVickar, a founder of the New York Yacht Club, is now held on Ellis Island pending an investigation of his activities in New York on behalf of Germany. Baron Hasperg is a prominent member of the Deutsche Verein of this city and has been prominent in New York for several years. His wife died in Paris in November, 1906. It was reported in the Federal Building that Hasperg is suspected of having visited military reservations, among them Camp Upton. Mr. Caffey stated that he knew nothing about that feature of the case. The Baron was arrested several days ago at his apartment on Riverside Drive.

The Federal authorities also announced the arrest in the Adirondacks of Adolph Pavenstedt, intimate friend and adviser of Count von Bernstorff. He is the man to whom Bolo Pacha went when he visited this country in 1916 to co-operate with von Bernstorff in subsidizing the French press. Pavenstedt acted as the go-between.

When war was declared in 1914 Pavenstedt was head of the New York banking house of G. Amsinck & Co., and it was to him that von Papen and Boy-Ed, the chief plot assistants of Bernstorff, went a few days after war was declared, and asked for office room in the bank of which Pavenstedt was then the head. For several weeks they directed their conspiracies and plots against the Allies and the United States from Pavenstedt's office. Subsequently, according to Pavenstedt's own testimony in the Bolo Pacha investigation, he asked them to seek other quarters because it might create suspicion if they remained in the Amsinck bank. The house of G. Amsinck & Co. was reorganized about two years ago and is now an entirely American concern.

Escaped from Japan in Vain.

Another alien under suspicion at Ellis Island is "Dr. John Ferrari," whose right name is said to be Friedrich W. Hiller, who was arrested at 339 Stratford Road, Brooklyn, on Saturday. Shortly after the war started Hiller is said to have been arrested by the British in India, and was for a year a prisoner in a detention camp in that country. He managed to make his escape from the camp and go to Japan, where he was arrested by Japanese Secret Service agents and interned. After some months in a Japanese internment camp he again escaped and made his way to the United States. Hiller's arrest is said to have followed his more or less boastful stories of his activities in India and Japan and of the ease with which he is said to have claimed he made his escape in those countries.

Among the well-known Germans still at liberty are Carl Buenz, former German Minister to Mexico, who stands convicted of plotting on behalf of Germany as one of the conspirators who sought to make New York a supply base for German raiders; Herr Ficke, the Hamburg-American auditor, who was arrested some weeks ago and subsequently paroled; Colonel Piorkowski, the former Krupp agent and close friend and adviser of Boy-Ed, and several others who are not quite so well known to the general public as those named. It is probable that other arrests will follow those of von Hasperg, Pavenstedt, Schmidt, and Hiller.

A certain German Baroness who is well known in New York is also known to be the subject of inquiry by the Federal authorities. Several other women of German origin are also understood to be under investigation. It was reported yesterday that a woman, a German, had been arrested in a certain New York factory now engaged in work for the Government. This report could not be verified.

Emile H. Kluge, President of the Kluge Weaving Company of New York, whose big steam yacht, the Joyeuse, was seized by the Government last Saturday, made not one but several trips into Southern waters on that ship, on one occasion, prior to the American declaration of war, encircling the island of Cuba. While in Cuban waters the captain of the yacht, who is said to have been a former German naval officer, took a great many photographs which were afterward seized by the Cuban authorities. All this occurred in December, 1916, and January, 1917. Kluge showed up in Havana armed with letters of introduction to two Cuban officials, the Cuban official in New York who gave him the letters, having notified the Cuban authorities that the "man is a German and will bear watching." He was closely watched and the camera plates seized.

While in Havana Kluge is known to have communicated with a prominent German banker of that city whose name has been frequently mentioned in connection with German propaganda and other German activities in the island republic. In March of last year, a few weeks before the United States entered the war, the Joyeuse, with Kluge on board, arrived at Key West, and he applied to Domingo Milard, the Cuban Consul, for clearance papers in order to proceed on "a fishing trip" into Cuban waters. Acting under orders from his Government Milard refused to issue the papers. On one of his trips into Southern waters Kluge said to an official of the Cuban Government:

"My Captain is able to go anywhere without a chart, because he is of the German Navy."

Since war was declared Kluge is said to have made several coastwise voyages on the Joyeuse. It was because of his defiance of the President's regulations governing enemy travels by sea that the yacht was seized and taken over by the Government. Kluge is still at liberty and is said to be at his home in Englewood.

Two Trials Postponed.

The trial of Paul Hennig, the German-born American citizen, charged with treasonable activities against the United States, in that he tampered with the gyroscopic fittings of torpedoes intended for the United States Navy, did not begin yesterday, but was postponed until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. Hennig will be tried before United States District Judge Thomas L. Chatfield in the Federal Court in Brooklyn. This will be the first treason trial in New York since war was declared on Germany.

The trial of Franz Rintelen, the German plot master, who came to the United States in 1915 to foment strikes in munition works and to engineer other conspiracies against the United States and the Allies, will go on trial in the Federal Court, New York, this morning, on an indictment which charges him and other Germans with having entered into a conspiracy to destroy the British steamer Kirk Oswald by placing incendiary bombs in vital parts of that ship. The other Germans who go on trial with Rintelen are Friedrich Karbade, Charles von Kleist, Wilhelm Parades, Bonford Boniface, Eugene Reister, Walther Uhde, and Joseph Zeffert.

Following a conference held at Police Headquarters yesterday between Captain Fuller Potter of the army Intelligence Bureau, Acting Chief Inspector O'Brien, and Inspectors Boettler and Dwyer, it was decided that all enemy aliens unable to fill out the required affidavit blanks will have to be finger printed for purpose of identification. One hundred and thirty thousand of these affidavits will be sent to the various police stations today, and will have to be returned, filled out and accompanied by four photographs, between Feb. 4 and 9.

When Carl E. Whitney, counsel for Edmond Rousselot, the bogus "French Count" and "Spanish Marquis," in the Tombs on the charge of violating the Espionage act by representing himself to be a member of the French Diplomatic Service, suggested to United States Commissioner Samuel M. Hitchcock that his client's bail be reduced, Police Lieutenant George Busby, who made the arrest, objected, saying:

"Rousselot has fooled the Secret Service and Department of Justice men and the commander of the British steamer Roxburghe. He shall not fool me, and as there are a number of complaints against him, I propose to arrest him on each of the charges in the event of his securing bail."

Upon this declaration Mr. Whitney withdrew his suggestion.

WOULD DELAY ACTION ON ALL AMENDMENTS

Slater Suggests Two Years' Postponement of Federal Constitutional Changes.

MIGHT AFFECT SUFFRAGE

Also Would Put Off Ratification of Prohibition Law Until 1920—Senate Debates Women's Question.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Jan. 21.—Senator Slater of Westchester introduced a concurrent resolution tonight providing for amendment to the State Constitution which would make it illegal for any Legislature or State convention to act upon an amendment to the United States Constitution proposed by Congress unless the members of the Legislature and the delegates to the convention have been elected after the amendment was submitted by Congress to the various States for ratification.

With such a proviso in the present Constitution the Legislature would be debarred from passing at this session either upon the proposed amendment providing for nation-wide prohibition or on the Federal suffrage amendment, should the United States Senate concur with the House of Representatives in favorable action on that measure.

"The bill," said Senator Slater, "is an amendment to the State Constitution. It must receive favorable action from two different State Senates before it can be submitted to the people for ratification. Under the circumstances it cannot become effective, even if adopted, before January, 1920, and would therefore not affect any of the amendments either submitted by or now pending before Congress.

"This amendment is embodied in the Constitutions of Florida and Tennessee. The purpose is to make it impossible for the State Legislature to approve at once an amendment to the Federal Constitution. It requires that, after the adoption of the Federal amendment by Congress, an election must intervene before the Legislature can take it up for consideration. This would give the people of the State an opportunity to say whether they want the amendment or not. It would in all likelihood become an issue in the campaigns, with the result that incoming lawmakers would have a clear mandate from the people to guide them in their action."

The Slater resolution was referred to the Senate Judiciary Committee, which also is considering a concurrent resolution introduced by Senator Nicoll of New York, calling upon the United States Senate, in the name of the New York Legislature, to adopt without delay the Federal suffrage amendment. The resolution which was presented to the Assembly by Schuyler M. Meyer, was brought to the Capitol by Miss Elsie Hill of New York, daughter of the late Congressman Ebenezer Hill of Connecticut, and Mrs. William Hutton Blauvelt of Syracuse. Miss Hill is an organizer for the Woman's National Party.

The two women called upon Governor Whitman upon their arrival at the Capitol. The resolution reached the lawmakers who became sponsors for them through Franklin B. Lord, Governor Whitman's legal adviser. In the Assembly the resolution went over for a week under the rule. Assemblyman Welsh of Albany, who has been asked to become sponsor for a measure to resubmit the suffrage question in this State, served notice that he desired to debate the measure.

In the Senate there was a brief verbal skirmish before the Nicoll resolution finally found its way to the Judiciary Committee. Senator Nicoll, in presenting the resolution, asked that it be referred to the "appropriate committee."

"Its proper place is in the waste basket," broke in Senator Downing of New York, a Tammany member.

"No objection to that," said Senate Leader Brown in a stage whisper.

"Send it to the Finance Committee," suggested Senator Sage, who is Chairman of that body and no friend of woman suffrage.

At this point Senator Wagner arose and rebuked his fellow Senators for treating the resolution with levity. "The people of the State have given a favorable verdict on woman suffrage," he said. "This resolution is no joke. It should be sent to the Judiciary Committee, where suffrage measures have always gone."

"Because the people of this State have approved suffrage, is that any reason why we should try to force woman suffrage on other States, where the voters have not spoken in approval?" demanded Senator Downing.

Finally Senator Brown asked unanimous consent to have the bill sent to the Judiciary Committee, and this was done.

Assemblymen Balknap, Democrat, of Westchester, and Rosenberg, Socialist, of New York, put in suffrage resolutions, which went over for a week for debate.

A score of war resolutions touching upon every possible phase of the conflict, even to memorializing the President to use his influence to convoke a peace conference, were introduced in the Assembly tonight, but all went over for debate until next week.

One resolution offered by Assemblyman Wells indorsed the raising of funds in this country for the rebuilding of destroyed French cities and towns, and while it did not receive favorable consideration any more than did the others, a similar resolution introduced by Senator Whitney was adopted by the Senate.

The resolution calling for a peace conference was introduced by Assemblyman Waldman, one of the Socialists. It directs the President to communicate with the new Russian democracy and invite the representatives of the German people in the Reichstag to the conference.

Assemblyman Whitehorn, another Socialist, offered a resolution urging Congress to pass Congressman Meyer London's proposal appropriating $100,000,000 to reimburse those inconvenienced by the Garfield fuel edict. A resolution by Assemblyman Goldberg, Democrat, urges loyal compliance with the fuel order, and is looked upon as a slap at Gov. Whitman, who requested President Wilson to cancel the order.

The Assembly passed the Whitney bill authorizing the State to deed abandoned canal land in Mechanicville to the Federal Government as a site for the erection of a war manufacturing plant. This was the bill which Assemblyman Shipkoff, the Socialist leader, held up last week when it passed the Senate.

LANGUAGE STUDY AT FRONT.

American and French Soldiers to Get Instruction.

A meeting of the Committee "Pour les Gens de Lettres Français" was held at the home of Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, 4 West Fifty-eighth Street, yesterday, to stimulate interest in the purpose to give American and French soldiers knowledge of each others' language, so that the cause of the nations may receive firmer support. About 500 women were asked to assist in the work.

The plan is to promote fraternization among the soldiers of the French and American Armies by sending French and English dictionaries to the front. The books will have messages intended to encourage the soldiers to fight on to victory. Lloyd Warren, who presided at the meeting, pointed out that the French had never seen the advantage of learning other languages, as had the Germans, but that he thought that idea was changed. He said that "the Russian language is now being taught in the German schools, so that Germany may do in Russia what she has done in the Americas."

APPOINTS J. C. AUCHINCLOSS

Special Deputy Police Commissioner to Head Defense League.

James C. Auchincloss was appointed yesterday a special Deputy Commissioner by Police Commissioner Bugher to supervise the work of the Home Defense League, an organization of 20,000 citizens formed to take the place of the police in an emergency. He takes the place left vacant by Alexander M. White, who was appointed to that position by former Commissioner Woods and who resigned. The position pays no salary.

Mr. Auchincloss is 34 years old, and is a member of the New York Stock Exchange, having offices at 61 Broadway. He lives at 103 East Eighty-sixth Street. He was assistant to Mr. White when the latter was a special deputy.

Marcosson to Lecture for Red Cross.

Isaac F. Marcosson will talk upon "The Business of War" at a Red Cross benefit in Carnegie Hall on Friday evening. He will tell of his experiences with all the allied armies, including the American, and part of the lecture will be devoted to his impressions of the Russian revolution. He was in Petrograd in the early part of the Kerensky régime after he had crossed the North Sea on a British warship. Frederic R. Coudert will preside.

LOST AND FOUND.

Fifty cents an agate line.

LOST.—$200 reward for return of ring, Tiffany setting, large ruby and 2 diamonds of equal size, lost between Waldorf, Best's, and Hotel Gregorian, or left in women's dressing room, 1st floor Gregorian Hotel, about 1 o'clock Friday afternoon, Jan. 11. Address G. H., 242 Times Downtown.

LOST—Sunday, black leather wallet in Majestic Theatre, 180th St. and St. Nicholas Av., restaurant 125th St., or on street car; contains Secret Service card, memo book, registration card, and about $15 to $20 in cash; reward. L. L. Carroll, 515 West 110th St.

LOST.—Certificate D11755 for 13 shares first preferred stock of U. S. Rubber Co., issued to Edwin A. Parrott; all persons are cautioned against buying said certificate; transfer has been stopped. Z 259 Times Annex.

LOST.—Jan. 15, downtown, Brooklyn, diamond solitaire ring, also dinner ring and diamond brooch, in chamois bag; $200 reward. B. A. Griffiths, 262 Hancock St., Brooklyn. Telephone Bedford 8686-J.

LOST.—Saturday afternoon, from Metropolitan Building, 23d St., subway, and Grand Central Terminal, lower section, round pendant watch, containing works. S. J. Taylor, 203 Broadway.

LOST or misplaced, Saturday, in Grand Central Station or vinicity, black leather bag containing jewelry and toilet articles; liberal reward if returned to Lebolt & Co., 584 5th Av.

LOST.—Package containing leather traveling clock, on 5th Av. bus, between 10th and 28th Sts., about 9:30 Thursday morning; liberal reward. Phone Scarsdale 410.

LOST.—Large, brindle Belgian male pup, one lop ear, collar, license and leather leash. Please phone Lenox 3223, or return to 73 East 86th St., and receive reward.

LOST.—Saturday afternoon, 34th St. shopping district, topaz, seed pearl necklace; reward. Return to Mrs. Hope Simpson, 310 West 79th St.

LOST.—Friday, Jan. 18, on Madison Av. car, between 62d and 86th Sts., oval gold pin, having four pearls, four blue stones. Reward if returned to 3 East 84th St.

LOST.—Monday, Jan. 21, Elgin wrist watch, probably between 56th and 59th Sts. and 4th Av., Brooklyn, going to subway. Kindly return to 423 56th St., Brooklyn. Reward.

LOST.—Bank book No. 442,084, Seamen's Bank for Savings, 76 Wall St., New York; payment stopped and cancellation applied for; please return to bank.

LOST.—Sunday afternoon or evening, Jan. 20, diamond bar pin about three inches long. $50 reward if returned to Cashier, Belmont Hotel, 42d St.

LOST.—Three $50 Liberty Bonds, between subway and 40 Exchange Place, Monday; working girl; reward. Thornby, 164 Prospect Place, Brooklyn.

LOST.—Liberty Bond No. 82360, Saturday evening, between Wadsworth Av., subway to Hotel Astor; reward. Business woman at Hotel Bristol.

LOST.—In Jack's restaurant or vicinity, diamond ring with two green stones on sides; $100 reward if returned to B. Feinberg, 12 West 46th St.

LOST.—In Shanley's, Friday noon, (18th,) ring with two diamonds, sapphire centre; valuable heirloom; reward. Phone Garden City 1581.

LOST.—Dog's spiked leather harness, with license, Saturday night, vicinity 146th and Broadway; reward. 824 St. Nicholas Av., Apt. 54.

LOST.—Saturday on train from Glen Ridge, N. J., or 23d St. Ferry, or 23d St. crosstown, string of amber beads; reward. P 86 Times.

LOST.—Gray squirrel muff, on Broadway, between 141st and 142d, Thursday evening; reward. 640 Riverside Drive. Apt. 11 E.

LOST.—Black bag containing parents' pictures; precious keepsake; finder keep cash. Adele Austin, care Stiener, 44 Vesey St.

LOST.—Gold locket, 5th Av. or Riverside bus, between 101st and 149th; liberal reward. Miller, 567 West 149th. Apt. 42.

LOST—Old-fashioned blue enamel earring, between Rector's and Hotel Astor; cherished as keepsake; reward. Phone Kenmore 271.

LOST—Enameled vanity case, with chain, in Metropolitan Opera House, Thursday evening; reward. Address Box F 10 Times.

LOST.—Jan. 12, gold lorgnette, at Bronx Theatre or Astor Hotel. Suitable reward when returned to 27 West 11th St.

LOST.—Diamond ring, round setting, Breslin Hotel, 34th St. district, or department stores; reward. Phone Cliffside 387.

LOST.—Reindeer glove, neighborhood subway station, Brooklyn Bridge; reward. Taylor, F 141 Times.

LOST. — Strand, Monday, green "cross" purse, monogram "E. P. L."; reward. Lester, Audubon 3613.

LOST.—Friday, skunk pillow muff, 125th St. shopping district; reward. Supt., 59 Morningside Av.

LOST—Diamond pin, emerald centre, between Bronx, Brooklyn; reward. 299 Willis Av. Drugs.

LOST.—Ear instrument, black case, Hotel Astor; reward at cashier's desk.

LIBERAL REWARD.—Lost, Wednesday evening, Hotel Knickerbocker, Justine Johnstone Club, taxi, large skunk stole. Return Mahan, 20 West 10th.

REWARD.—Monday, West End Av., beaver sash; return to office Sherman Square Hotel, Broadway, 71st St.

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$75 REWARD for one diamond screw earring. Return Holland House, Room 321.

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